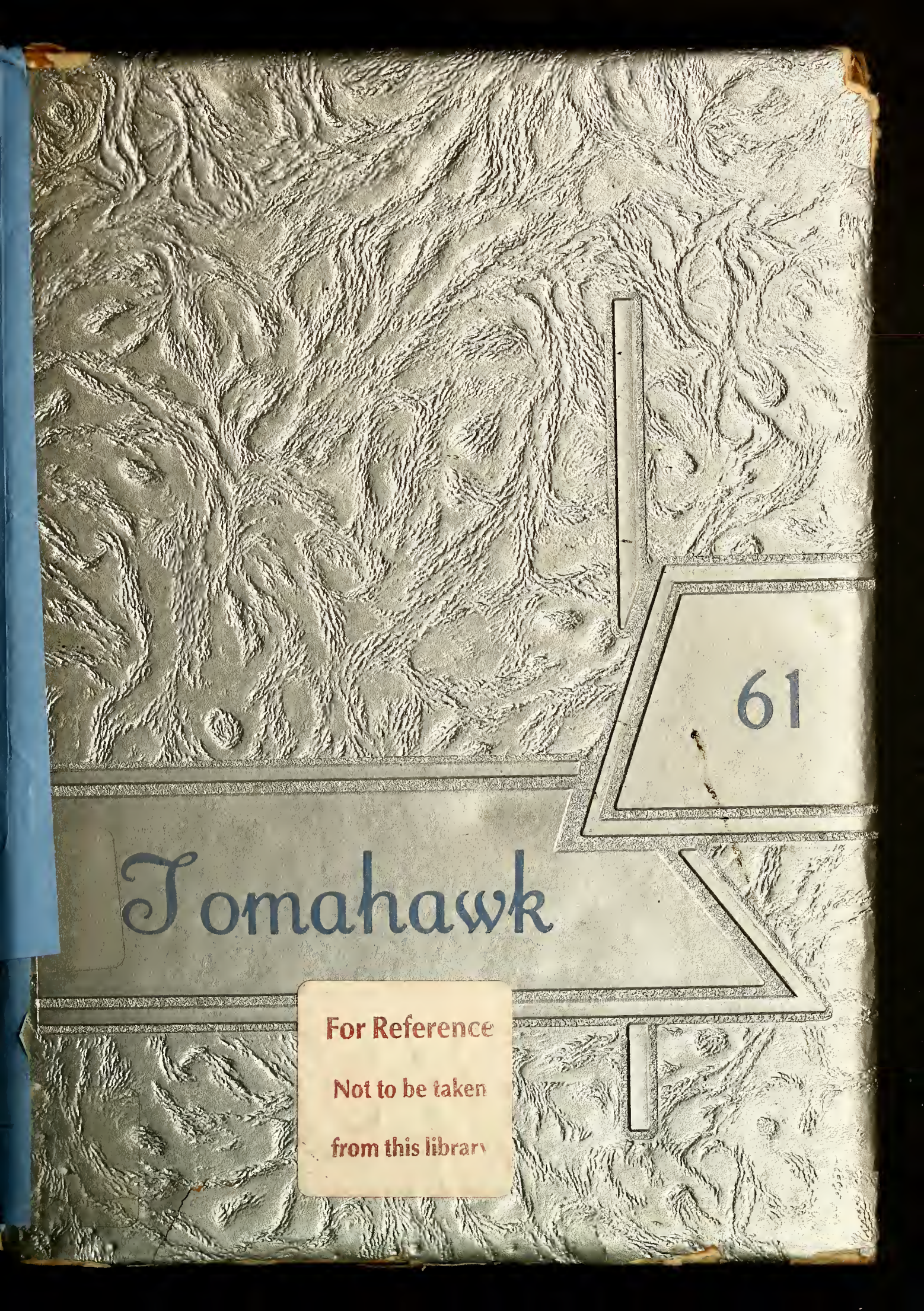
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"1961 Reflections"

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As The Year Begins Students

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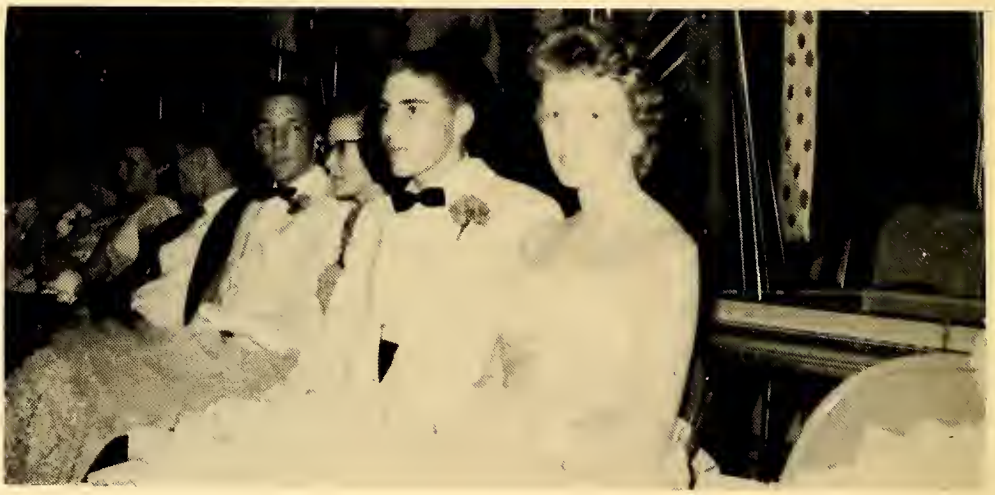


Dance Through Lovely Nights...

Play At
Being Indians..

Think Of Happy Moments....

Enjoy Sporting Events.....

Race For The Cafeteria At Noon....

Enjoy Initiations.....

Thoughtfully

Editor
Brenda Garrison

Associate Editor
Jerry Moore

We Reflect....

Every year we realize more and more the value of a sound educational system. As the world advances rapidly in scientific experimentation, we know that every school must keep in step. As we reflect upon the value of consolidation we sometimes reject the idea because of the many ties that bind us to Altamahaw Ossipee. We place deeper values upon the individual attention we receive as students. We look with pride upon every activity connected with our school and w o n d e r if we could ever have that same feeling about any other place.

As we present the 1961 Tomahawk we attempt to reflect every phase of school life at Altamahaw-Ossipee. This book must include work, study and play and most important of all---those who make our school a wonderful place---students, teachers and personnel.

It is with a feeling of mixed emotion that we present to you the 1961 Tomahawk. May you know some of the pleasure we found in preparing it for you.

The Editors

Dedication

As We reflect deeply our thoughts turn to....

Our principal,

Mr. Horace O'Shields Brannon.

To him we fondly dedicate this, the 1960-61 TOMAHAWK.

His enduring patience with students and teachers has earned deep respect. Throughout the year he serves in many capacities - business man, custodian, warden of the hallways, counselor, administrator and jack-of-all-trades. His many duties give him a versatile personality.

Mr. Brannon realizes the problems of both parents and students. His day is filled with a variety of encounters - a first-grader with no lunch money, a broken arm from the playground, pipes leaking in the hallway, a parent whose Johnny or Susie didn't make the expected grade, Joe looking for a way of skipping class, Mary asking too late for a pep-rally, Tommy with his girl friend problems and hundreds more.

Yes, his schedule is full keeping seven hundred and fifty students and twenty-six teachers in line.

For his forbearance and endurance we proudly dedicate to him this book.

Administration

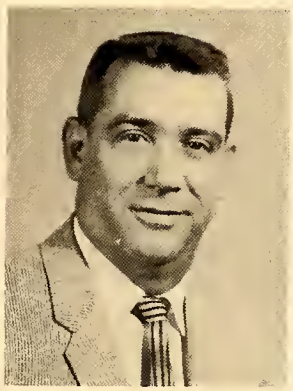
Mr. H. O. Brannon
Principal

Altamahaw Ossipee is fortunate in having a loyal and capable administration.

The planning and foresight of the principal and school board keep things running smoothly.

School Board

Fred Blanchard



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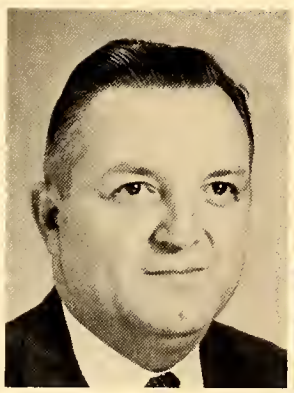
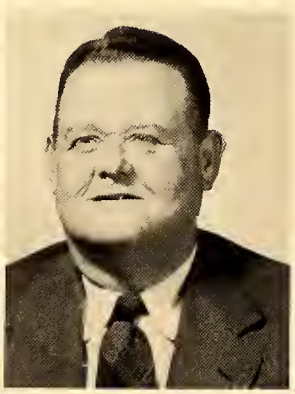


J. Nimrod Harris



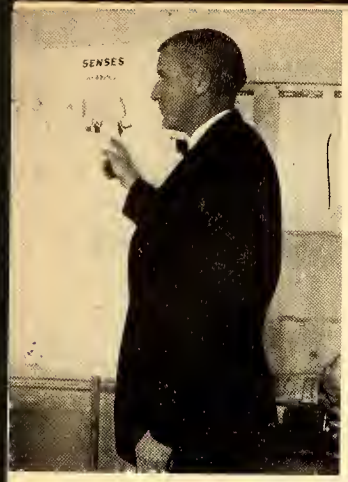
Dan Ireland

W. N. Reid

Few people realize the contribution made to a school by its school board. These five men give willingly and untiringly of their services to go forward in education for the children of this area.

Mrs. Jean Sadler
Secretary

Our Faculty Guides



Donald C. Iseley
A.B., Elon; M.A., U.N.C.
Science, Student Council,
Junior Sponsor

Mrs. Jo Ann Crews
A.B., Elon
Business Education,
Annual Staff, Junior
Sponsor

Mrs. Mary Dale Johnson
B.S., W.C.U.N.C.
Home Economics, F.H.A,
F.T.A., Sophomore
Sponsor

L. A. Freeman
B.S., N. C. State
Agriculture, F.F.A.,
Sophomore Sponsor

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English, Hub Staff,
Freshman Sponsor

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Freshman Sponsor

Mrs. Clyde Kirkman
A.B., Davenport
English, Senior Sponsor

Our Thoughts And Dreams....

C. E. Stout
A.B., Catawba
Physical Education,
History, Monogram
Club, Football, Girls'
Basketball

Roy B. Clayton, Jr.
A.B., Catawba
Physical Education,
Seventh Grade, Boys'
Basketball

Mrs. Adelia Truitt
A.B., Elon,
Librarian, Library Club

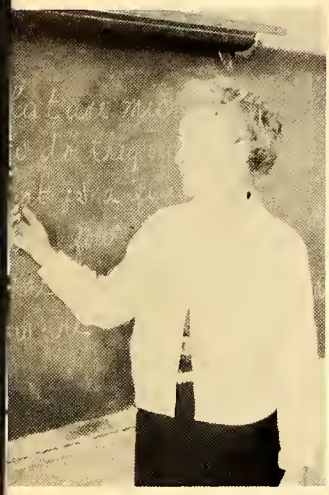
Mrs. Myrtle Wagoner
A.B., Elon
Safety Patrol, Eighth
Grade

Mrs. Betty Smith
B.A., University of
Georgia
Eighth Grade

Mrs. Marie Garrison
B.S., W.C.U.N.C.
Seventh Grade

Mrs. Billie Amick
Elon College
Glee Club, Music

For Twelve Important Years....



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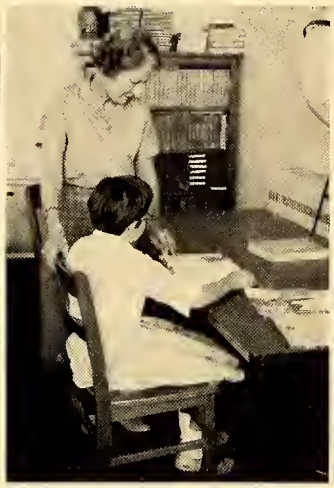
A.B. Elon College
Sixth Grade



Mrs. Pearl Troxler
A.B., Western Carolina
Sixth Grade

Mrs. Alline Garrison
A.B., Duke University
Fifth Grade

Mrs. Hazel Iseley
A.B., Elon College
Fifth Grade

Mrs. Lois Bost
A.B., Elon College,
W.C.U.N.C.
Fourth Grade

Miss Gladys Sartin
A.B., Elon College
Third Grade

Mrs. Ramona M. Kernodle
A.B., Elon College
Fourth Grade

Mrs. L. E. Wells
Elon College
Music, Glee Club
Pianist

From First Grade To Twelfth.

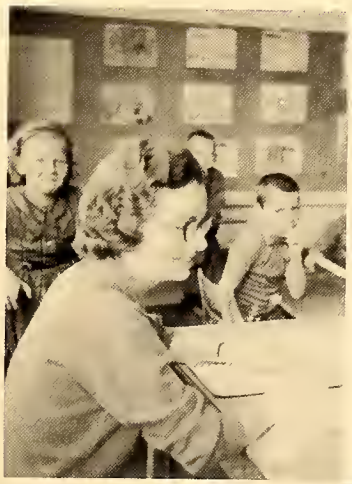
Miss Doris Marie Price
A.B., Elon College
Third Grade

Mrs. Mary H. Easley
Elon College
Second Grade

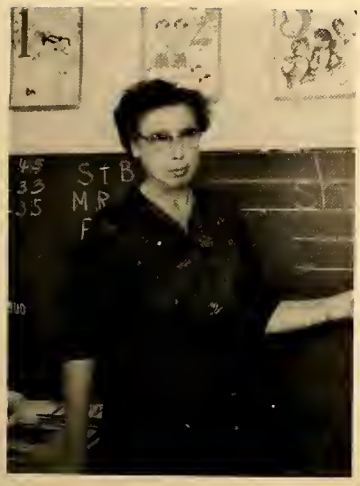
Mrs. Gene B. Cothran
A.B., W.C.U.N.C.
Second Grade

Mrs. Nannie T. Patterson
Applachian College
Second Grade

Mrs. Anita Johnson
A.B., Elon College
First Grade



Mrs. Joe Ross
Assistant Dietitian



Mrs. Lecy Kernodle
A.B., W.C.U.N.C.
First Grade

Mrs. Fred Blanchard
Dietitian

Students Assistants

As Bus Drivers...

Kneeling, Left to Right: Roger Keck, Hooper Harris, Cecil Whitesell, Jimmie Beckom. Standing, Left to Right: Earl Sartin, Johnny Cole, Faye Woody, Mary Lynn Thiel, Billy Durham.

As Cafeteria Helpers...

Front Row: Gaynell Cantrell, Jan Sadler, Becky Andrews, Linda Dodd. Back Row: Sue Iseley, Gary Harris, Hobart Cook, Gary Morton, Norris Underwood, Kaddy Wade.

Brenda Blalock, Anita Apple, Jimmy Iseley, Jimmy Ireland, Charles Horne, Donald Fargis, Brenda Smithey, Kathy Wade, Janice Anderson, Vicki Hill.

Cafeteria Personnel

Raymond Troxler, Mrs. Blanch Ross, Mrs. Fred Blanchard, Betty Harvey, Annie Vincent.

Gladly Lend Helping Hands

As Office Assistants

Pat Hughes, Brenda Garrison, Sherman Smith, Barbara James, Nancy Peeples, Eloise Apple.

Faye Woody, Cecil Whitesell, Billy Gilliam, Kay Leath.

Howard Isley, Kathy Saul, Brenda Moore.

Eddie Vess, Peggy Saunders, Ronnie Leath, Jean Danieley, Robert Kirkman.

Classes Are More Than A Necessary Evil...

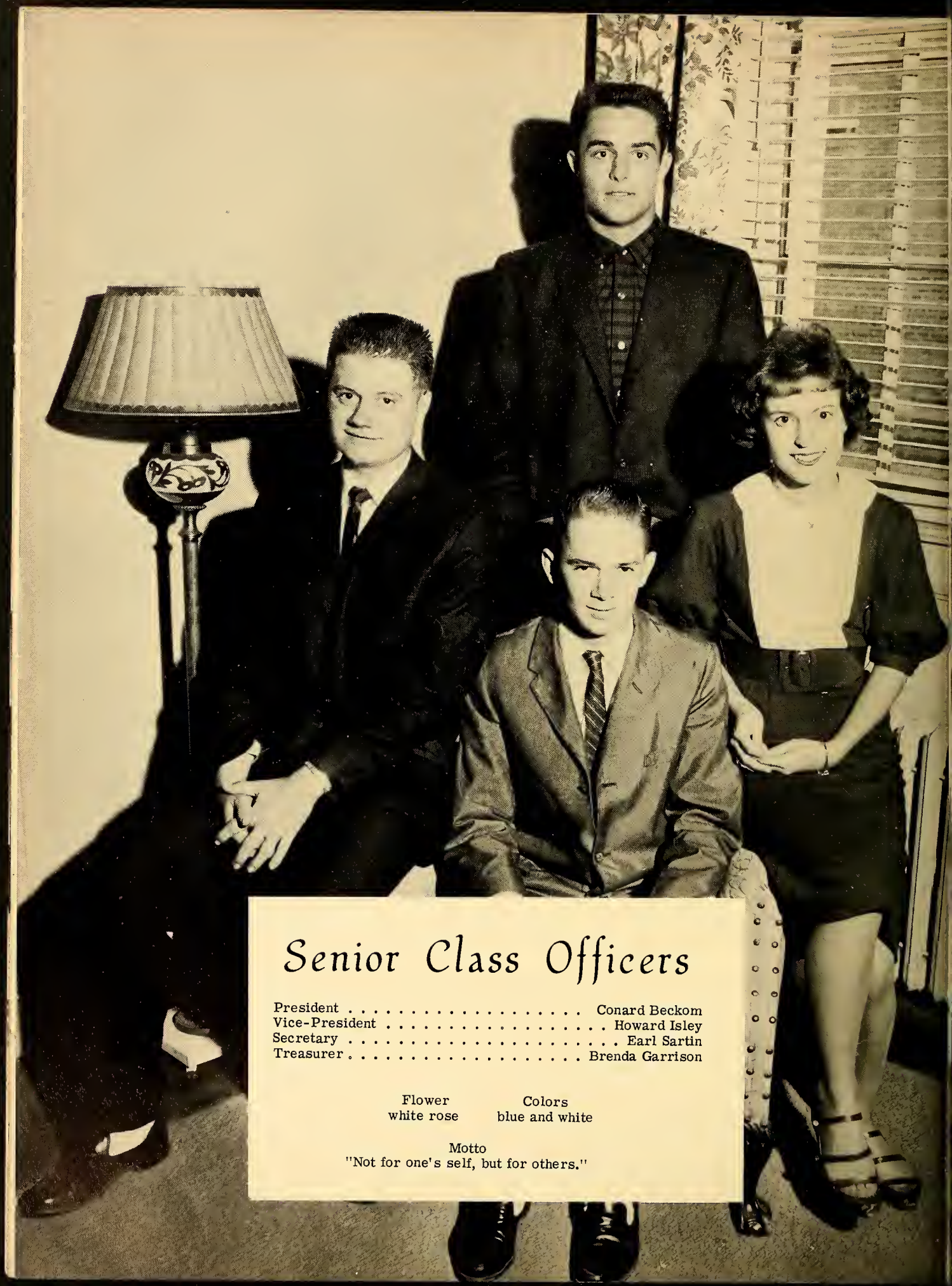
Look who's paying attention . . .

Mr. Freeman's tree trimmers . . .

Mrs. Johnson's kitchen clan . . .

Must be brains . . .

Classes



Senior Class Officers

President . . . . . Conard Beckom
Vice-President . . . . . Howard Isley
Secretary . . . . . Earl Sartin
Treasurer . . . . . Brenda Garrison

Flower
white rose

Colors
blue and white

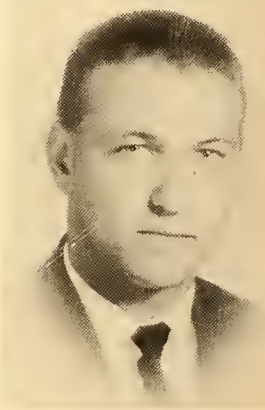
Motto
"Not for one's self, but for others."

Most Likely To Succeed

Brenda Moore and Larry Whitt

MARGARET ELOISE APPLE
"Attractive, friendly, and easy to know."
May Court 1; Student Council 2; Tomahawk Staff 1,4; Hub Staff 3; FHA 1,2,3,4, Secretary 3; FTA 1; Dancing Club 1; Waitress Jr.-Sr. Banquet 1,2; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3; Class Officer 1,2, Treasurer 1, Secretary 2; Marshal 3; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Office Assistant 4.

CONARD WELLS BECKOM
"A good sport and a warm heart within."
FFA 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 3, President 4; Explorers 1,2; Monogram Club 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2; Class President 4; Vice President 3; Play Cast 3; Annual Staff 4; Superlative 4.



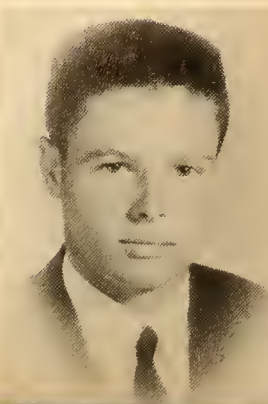
JOHN ROY COLE
"Talk to him of Jacob's ladder, and he would ask the number of steps."
FFA 1,2,3,4, Officer 2,4; Glee Club 1,2; Science Club 1,2,3; Football 1,2; Play Cast 3; Bus Driver 4.

ALBERT H. BOWES, JR.
"To worry little; to study less; is my idea of happiness."
Dancing Club 1; Glee Club 2,3,4.

DORIS JEAN DANIELEY
"When hearts are true, few words will do."
FHA 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Dancing Club 1; Hub Staff 4; Office Assistant 4.

Seniors

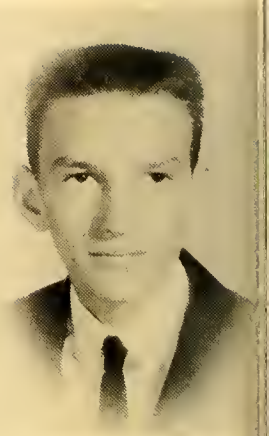
JIMMY LEE BOWES
"A quiet friend, the best to have."
Science Club 1,3.



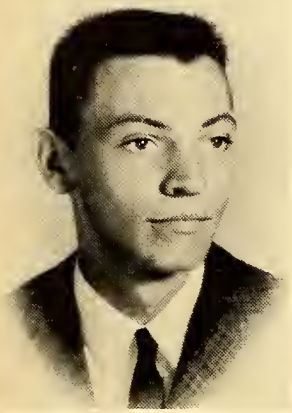
DOUGLASS CONRAD DODD
"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men."
FFA 1,2,3,4; Dancing Club 1; Monogram Club 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4.

Most Popular

Brenda Garrison and Leonard Haizlip



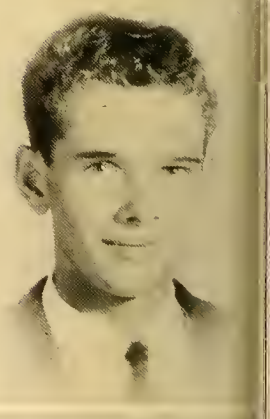
JERRY DEE GERRINGER
"I never let studying interfere with my Education."
Dancing Club 1; Glee Club 1,2,3; Science Club 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2.



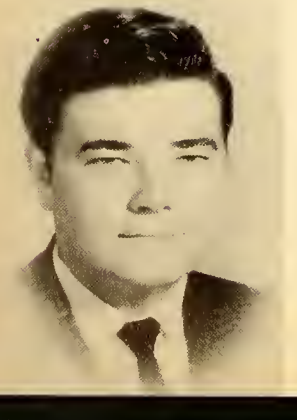
BILLY EUGENE DURHAM
"Countenance open, thoughts closed."
Dancing Club 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; FFA 2,3,4; Bus Driver 4.

WILLIAM MONROE GILLIAM
"Youth comes but once in a lifetime."
FFA 1,2,3,4, Chaplain 4; Football 3, 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Science Club 1,2; Office Assistant 4.

BRENDA JOYCE GARRISON
"Sweet and lovely, nice and neat, just to know her is a treat."
Tomahawk Staff 2,3,4, Associate Editor 3, Editor 4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Chaplain 3; FTA 1,2,3, Secretary 2; National Honor Society 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Officer Assistant 4, Class Officer 4, Treasurer; Basketball 2,3, 4; Jr. V 1; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 1,2; May Court 2; Dancing Club 1; Jr. Play 3; Senior Homecoming Attendant; Superlative.



LEON LESLIE HAIZLIP
"A quiet mind is richer than a crown."
Football 1,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2; Science Club 2,3.



ARCHIE DILLION GASTER
"What should a man be but merry?"
Hub Photographer 3,4; Sr. Play 4; Hi-Y 3; Dancing Club 1; Explorers Club 3; Library Assistant 4; Library Club 2.

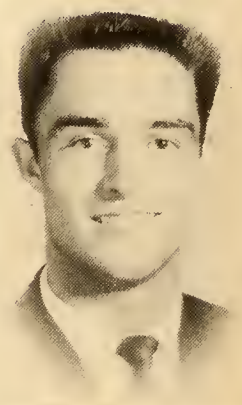
JESSIE LEONARD HAIZLIP, JR.
"Lots of wit and loads of fun, everything he does is well done."
Monogram Club 1,2,3,4; Football 3, Tri-Captain 4, Manager 1,2; Basketball Manager 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; May Court 3,4; Explorers Club 1; Tomahawk Staff 4; Library Assistant 4.

Most Athletic

Kathy Saul and Howard Isley

LINDA KAY HALL
"A merry heart goes all the way."
Library Club 1,2,3,4, Vice-President; Library Assistant 4.

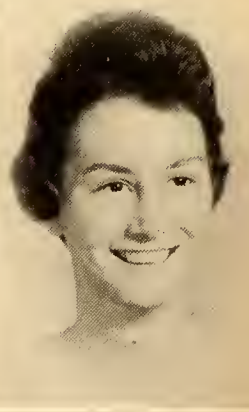
GAINS EDWARD HOPKINS, JR.
"The surest way not to fail is to be determined to succeed."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Hi-Y 4; Explorers Club 1,2,3,4; Annual 1,2,3; Hub 4; National Honor Society 4; Senior Play 4.



HOWARD CLIFTON ISLEY
"A good sport in every undertaking."
Football 3,4; J.V. 8 grade; Basketball 3,4, J.V. 8&9 grade; Baseball 2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Officer 4, Treasurer; FFA 1,2, Treasurer 2; Jr. Play 3; Dancing Club 1; May Court 1; Hub Staff 3, Tomahawk 4; Class Officer, Vice-President 4; Office Assistant 4.

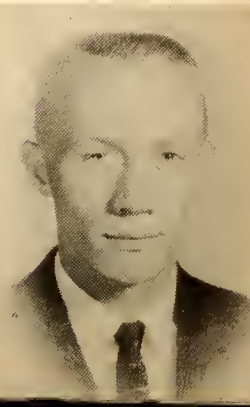
Seniors

PATRICIA ANN HUGHES
"Her smile was like a rainbow flashing from a misty sky."
Tomahawk Staff 1,4; Hub Staff 3; Dancing Club 1; FHA 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Office Assistant 4; Cheerleader 4; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 1,2; Jr. Play Cast 3.



BARBARA CAROL JAMES
"Neatness is the crowning grace of womanhood."
Library Club 1,2,3, President 4; FHA 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Office Assistant 4; Jr. Play Committee 3; Sr. Play 4; Senior Superlative.

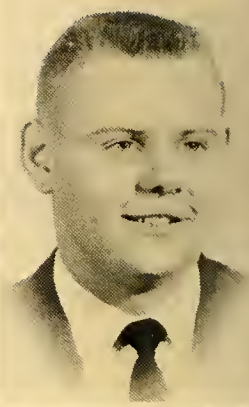
DELORES SONJIA IRELAND
"Why, Don't the men propose, Mama? Why, don't the men propose?"
Basketball 1; FHA 1,2,3,4; FTA 2,3; Glee Club 1,2,3; Jr. Play.



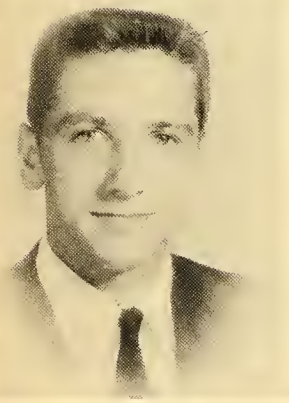
WILLIAM FRANKLIN JONES
"The quiet type, the kind you like to have around."

Most Original

Marion Underwood and Kay Leath

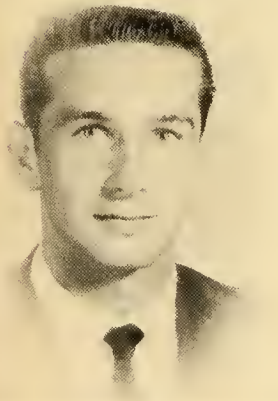


RONALD CALVIN LEATH
"Come live in my heart and pay no rent."
Safety Patrol 4; Glee Club 4; Dancing Club 1; FFA 2; Office 4, Manager of Boys Ball Team 1; J.V. Basketball 1; J.V. Football 1; J.V. Baseball 1.

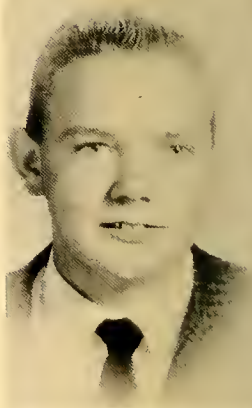


CHARLES PETER KECK
"I believe in work but I'm not in favor of it."
FFA 2,3,4; Dancing Club 1; Glee Club 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3.

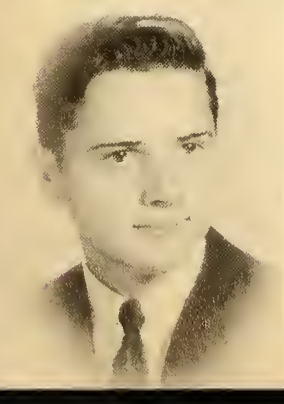
TULA KAY LEATH
"Better to be small and shine, than to be large and cast a shadow."
Student Council 1,2,3, Secretary 2; FTA 1,2; FHA 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Dancing Club 1; Glee Club 1,2,4; Tomahawk 4, Typist; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Office Assistant 4; Tri-H-Y 3, Vice-President; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 1, 2; Basketball 3,4.



ROGER EUGENE KECK
"He flirts with every skirt."
Science Club 2,3; Dancing Club 1; FFA 1,2,4; Library Assistant 4; Assistant Bus Driver 2,3,4.

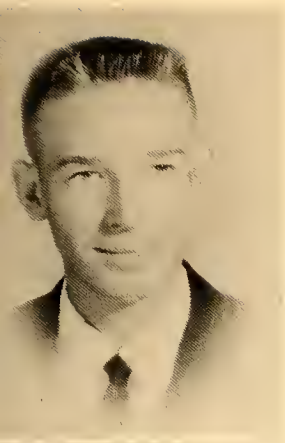


JAMES EDWARD LEE
"So swell to know, so swell a pal."
Dancing Club 1; Explorers Club; Library Assistant 4.



ROBERT CLYDE KIRKMAN
"Love me, love my car."
Class Officer, Secretary 1; National Honor Society 3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Dancing Club 1; Annual Staff, Photographer 4; Hub Staff 1; Delegate to Columbus Scholastic Press Association 1; Waiter Jr.-Sr. Banquet 1,2; Office 4; Marshal 3; Newspaper 2,3; Band 2,3; 4-H 2,3, Program Chairman 2, Delegate to Electric Congress 3; Photograph Club 2; Math Club 3; Science Club 2,3; FTA 3; Jr. Play 3; Senior Play 4.

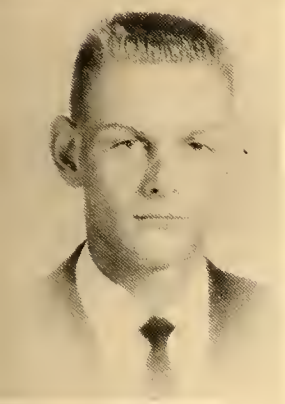
MATTIE JEAN LEWIS
"She has that gift of gifts, the art of making friends."
FTA 3; FHA 4; Library Club 4, Secretary 4; Spanish Club 2,3; Boosters Club 1; Superlative 4.



DANIEL LEE MADREN
"A regular guy-straight and true."
FFA 1,2,3,4, Officer 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Explorers Club 1,2; Treasurer 2; Monogram Club 3,4; Football 1,2,4; Superlative 4.

Most Courteous

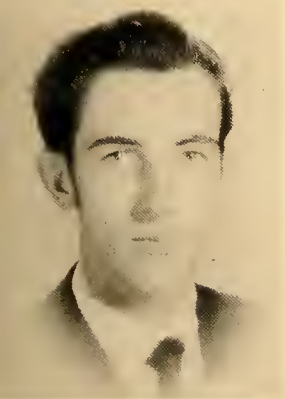
Mattie Jean Lewis and Daniel Madren



JACK DOUGLAS MADREN
"Any man who has a job has a chance."
FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 4.

Seniors

BRENDA GAYE MOORE
"This is a girl who's hard to beat; nice and intelligent and always sweet."
Hub 1, Associate Editor 2, Editor 3; Student Council 4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Chaplain 3; FTA 1,2,3, Secretary 2; Dancing Club 1; Monogram 3,4; Homecoming Representative 2; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 1; Glee Club 1,2; Chief Marshal 3; National Honor Society 3,4, President 4; Office Assistant 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; May Court 4.



JIMMY DOLAN McCANN
"That is as well said, as if I had said it myself."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; FFA 2,3; Tomahawk 3,4.

PATSY SHARON PATTERSON
"Let us then be what we are and what we think.
FHA 1,2,3,4; FTA 1,2,4; Glee Club 1, 2,3,4; Dancing Club 1; 4-H Club 1,2,4.

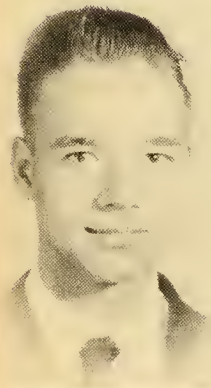
DANIEL LEE MILES
"Better a bad excuse, than none at all."
Baseball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Dancing Club 1.

NANCY GWYNN PEEPLES
"Buttons and bows wherever she goes."
Hub 2,3; FHA 1,2,3,4, Chaplain 4; FTA 1,4; Dancing Club 1; Monogram Club 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Assistant Chief 4; Jr.-Sr. Banquet Waitress 1,2; Glee Club 1,2; Secretary 4; Marshal 3; Office Assistant 4; Class Officer; President 3; Tomahawk Staff 4; Jr. Play Director 4; Sr. Play 4.

Best Dressed

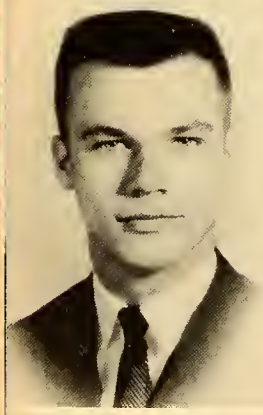
Barbara James and Earl Sartin

KATHRYN SUSAN SAUL
"A kind heart and a sweet disposition."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4; FHA 1,2; Dancing Club 1; May Court 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 1,3, Homecoming Queen 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Secretary 4; Annual Staff 3; Student Council Secretary 4; Office Assistant 4; Class Officer, Treasurer 1; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 1,2.



JOHN LEFATE RUDD
"A closed mouth catches no Flies."
Science Club 4.

PATSY JEAN SAUL
"Ornament of a meek and quiet spirit."
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Library Club 1,2; FHA 1,2; 4-H Club 1,2.



ROBERT BERNARD RUDD
"A quiet friend, the best to have."
Science Club 1.

PEGGY JOYCE SAUNDERS
"Kindness is the sunshine of social life."
Library Club 1,2; Monogram Club 3, 4; FHA 4; Hub Staff 4; Basketball Manager 3,4.

EARL MOSES SARTIN
"A hearty laugh, a mischievous smile, makes for him a life worth while."
Glee Club 1,2; Class Officer, Vice-President 1, President 2, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; Science Club 2, President 3; J.V. Basketball 2; Student Council 1,2,3, Parliamentarian 4; Bus Driver 3,4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Dancing Club 1.

SHERMAN HENRY SMITH
"A fly sat on the chariot wheel, and said, "What a dust I raise."
Dancing Club 1; Glee Club 1,2; Hub Staff 2,3,4; Explorers Club 3; Library Club 4; Library Assistant 4; Office Assistant 4; Treasurer 2.

Most Talented

Kay Hall and Conard Beckom

DALE TATE
"Live and let live."
FFA 1,2,3,4; Science Club 2; Explorers Club 1; 4-H 2.

DANIEL MARION UNDERWOOD
"Southpaw of Altamahaw."
Annual Staff 1,2; Hub Staff 3; Student Council 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Class Officer, President 1; Football 3,4.

GLENDA FAYE WOODY
"Full of spirit as the month of May."
Tomahawk 1,2,3; Dancing Club 1; FHA 1,2,3,4; Historian 4; FTA 1,2,3,4; President 2; Student Council 4; Basketball 2,3; Bus Driver 3,4; Office Assistant 4; Play Cast 3,4; Jr.-Sr. Banquet Waitress 1.

Seniors

CHARLES WADE VAUGHN
"Tis as cheap sitting as standing."
Safety Patrol 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Library Club 1; Library Assistant 2; FFA 3,4; Science Assistant 4; J.V. Baseball 1.

CECIL RICHARD WHITESELL
"He is just the kind whose nature never changes."
FFA 1, Reporter 2, Chaplain 3, Vice-President 4; Bus Driver 4; Office Assistant 4; Glee Club 2,3,4.

EDWARD LESS VESS
"A merry heart doeth good like a medicine."
Dancing Club 1; Basketball Manager 2; Baseball 3; Football 4, Football Manager 2; Monogram Club 4.

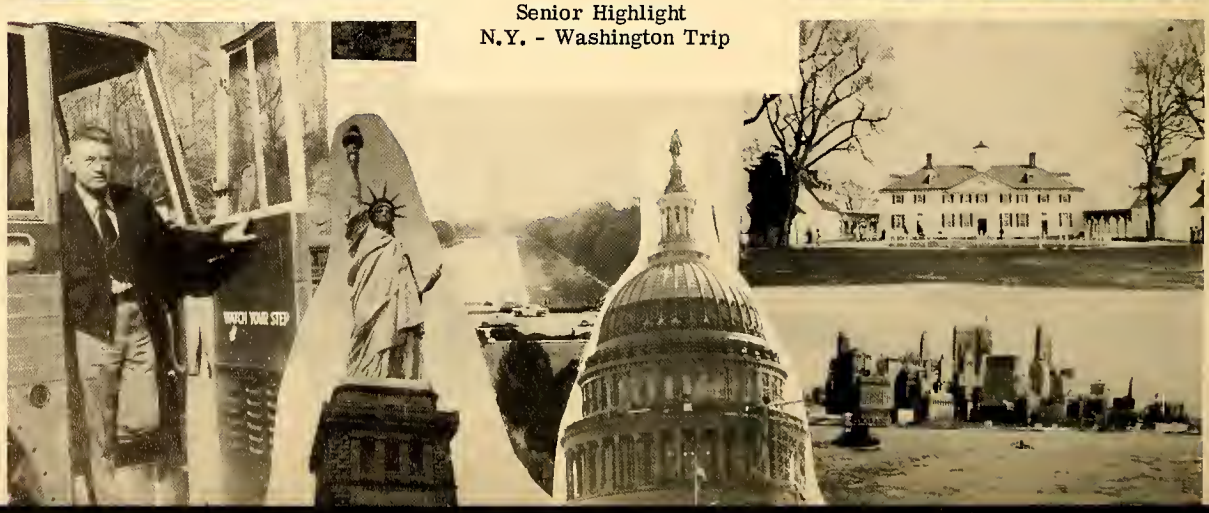
LARRY DEAN WHITT
"To work and play in the absorbing world of sports."
Student Council 1,2,3, President 4; Football 2,3,4; Tri-Captain 4, Manager 1; Basketball 2,3,4, Manager 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 2,3,4; May Court 2; Play Cast 3; National Honor Society 4, Vice-President 3; Class Officer 2.

Senior Round-up

BEST ALL - ROUND
Cecil Whitesell - Pat Hughes

Senior Play Scenes
"Look Behind You"

Senior Highlight
N.Y. - Washington Trip



Junior Class Officers

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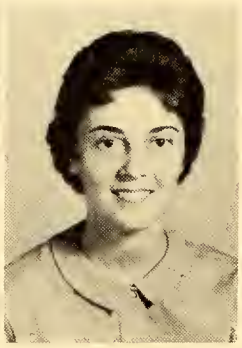
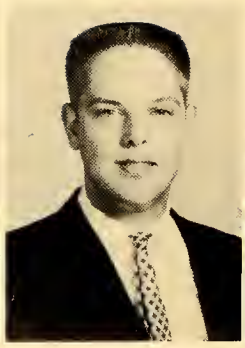
Vice-President . . . . . Larry Ring
Secretary . . . . . Jimmy Beckom
Treasurer . . . . . Ann Brannon

Carolyn Alcon



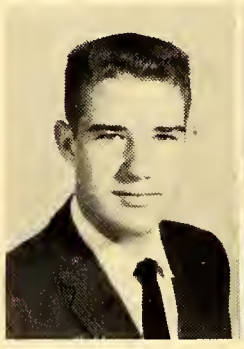
Donna Anderson

Ann Barber



Jerry Beckom

Jimmy Beckom



Jerry Bell

Billy Booe

Ann Brannon

Charlene Calahan

Class Of

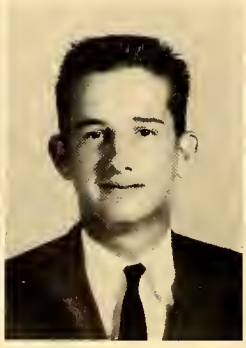
Barbara Durham

Kenneth Faucette

Marie Foster

Ann Gammon

Mary Lu Garrison



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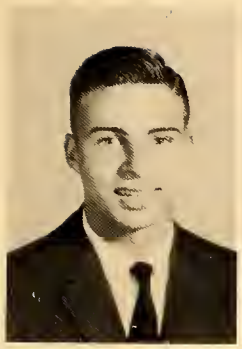
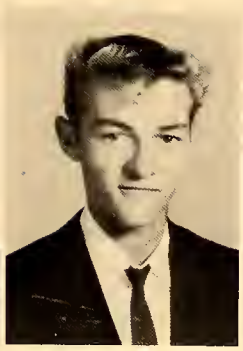
Peggy Hall

Hooper Harris

Lorene Hayes



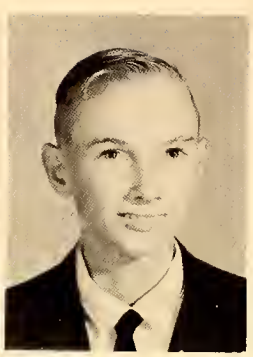
Billy Hicks



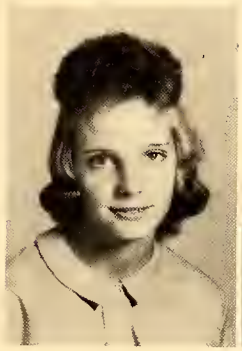
Garland Howerton

Minnie Lou Jones

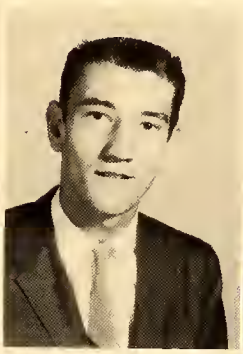
Emma Joyner



Thomas Key



Laura Leath

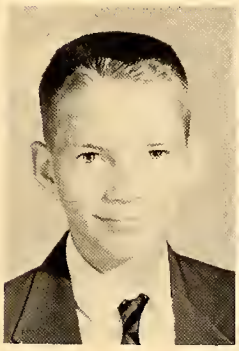


Donald Lewis

Clarence Long

Faye Madren

1962



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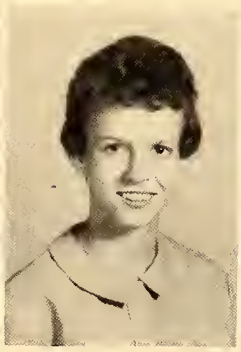
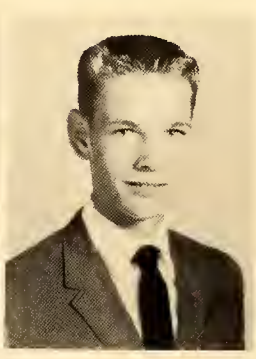


Kay Madren

Sara Madren



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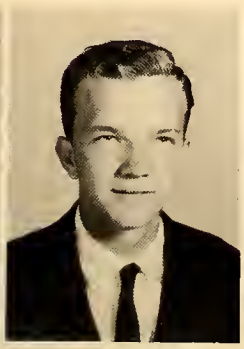
Dickie Mills



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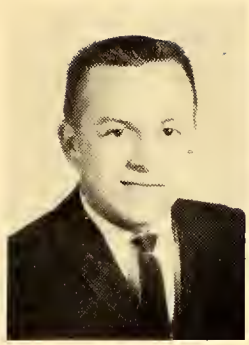
Mickey Murray

Tommy Newnam

Judy Perkins



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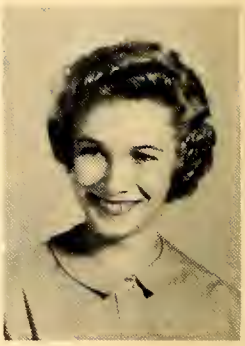
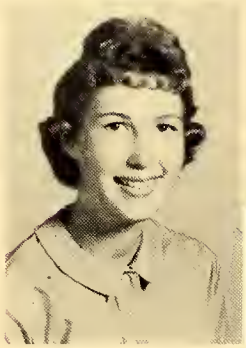


Judy Smithey



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Ida Jane Tickell

Kay Troxler

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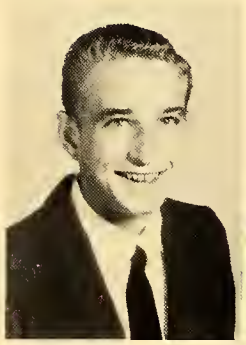
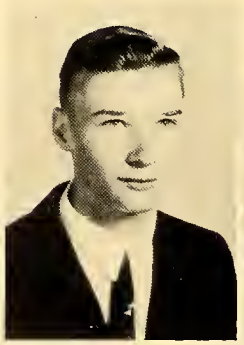
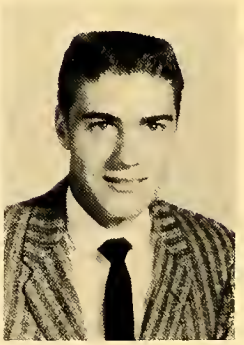


Houston Walker



Clayton Whitesell

Lynette Wrenn



Larry Williams

Class Of 1962

Juniors concentrate and work on some occasions- but not often!!!

Sophomore Class Officers

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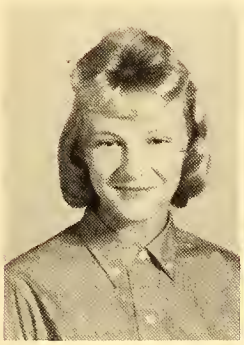
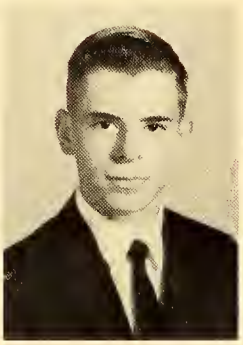
Vice-President . . . . . Johnny Walker
Secretary . . . . . Wanda Diamont
Treasurer . . . . . Carl Hughes

Class Of



Andrea Anderson



Gray Andrews

Rita Apple

Dorothy Atkinson

Wanda Diamont

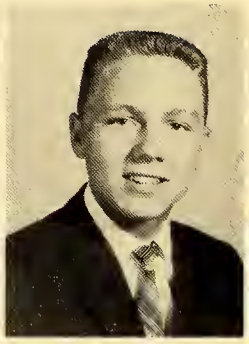
Phalba Edmonds

Jean Faulkenberry

Beth Garrison

Judy Garrison

Diane Goodman



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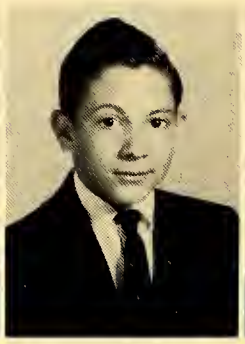
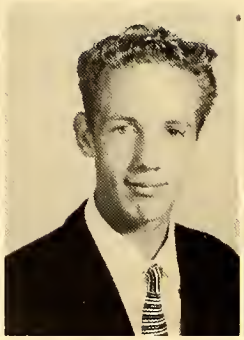


Jimmy Guffey

Ellen Hall

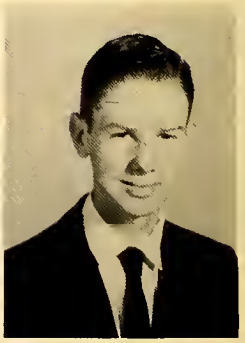
Betty Sue Hardy



Jerry Hensley

Tommy Hensley

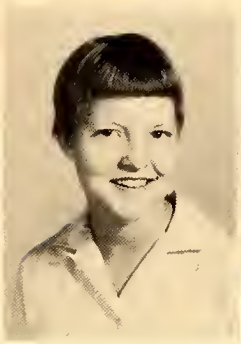
Rachel Holyfield



Carl Hughes

1963

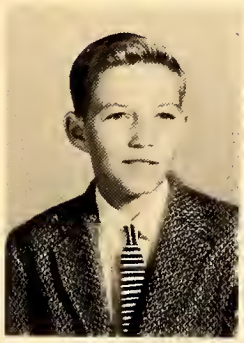
Gloria Jones



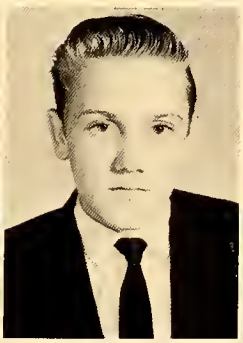
Bonnie Kenyon

Phyliss Long

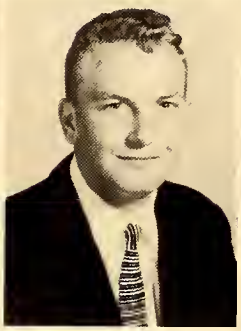
Jo Ann Matkins



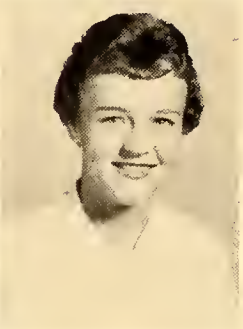
Boyd Madren



Paul Murray



Richard Overman



Linda Ross

Susan Sadler

Brenda Shepherd

Patsy Simpson

Clyde Truitt

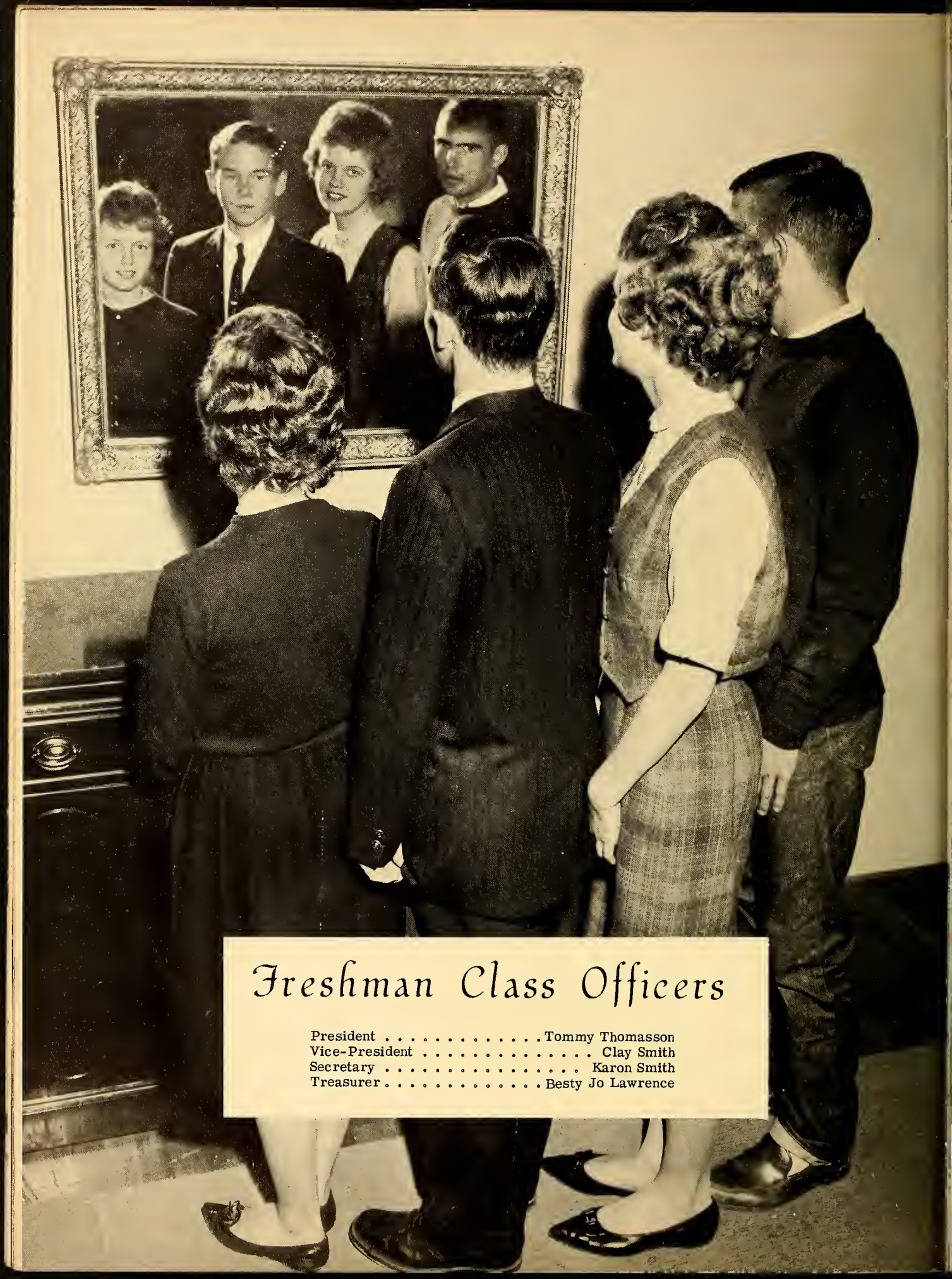
Diane Smithey

Johnny Walker

George Whitley

Judy Williams

Dean Woody

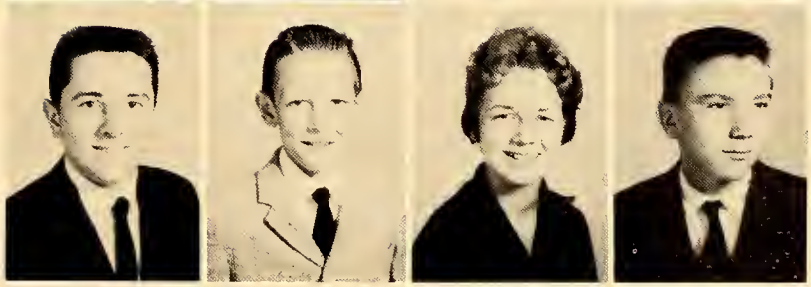


Freshman Class Officers

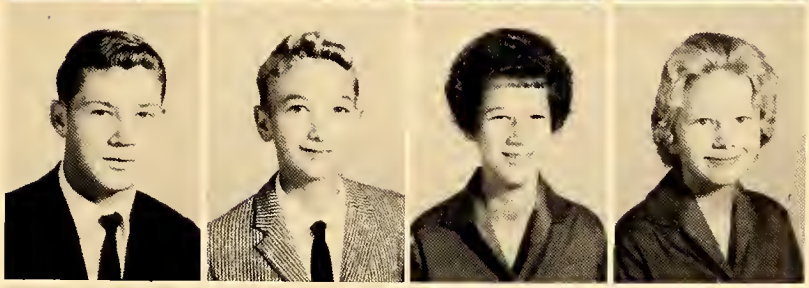
President . . . . . Tommy Thomasson
Vice-President . . . . . Clay Smith
Secretary . . . . . Karon Smith
Treasurer . . . . . Besty Jo Lawrence

Class Of 1964

Faye Ashley
Sandra Barber
Stephen Bowes
Don Brannon



Ronnie Cain
Larry Carter
Dianne Chambers
Junious Conklin



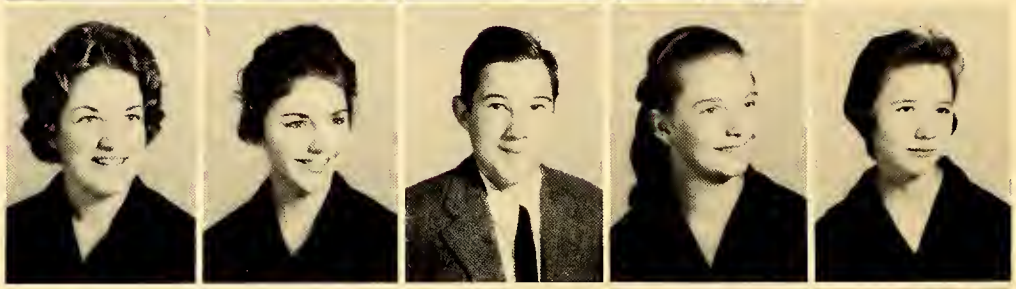
Bill Cross
Ronnie Dodson
Crystal Doss
Martha Dunn

Royce Fargis
Winfred Fargis
Bonnie Faucette
Lynn Gammon

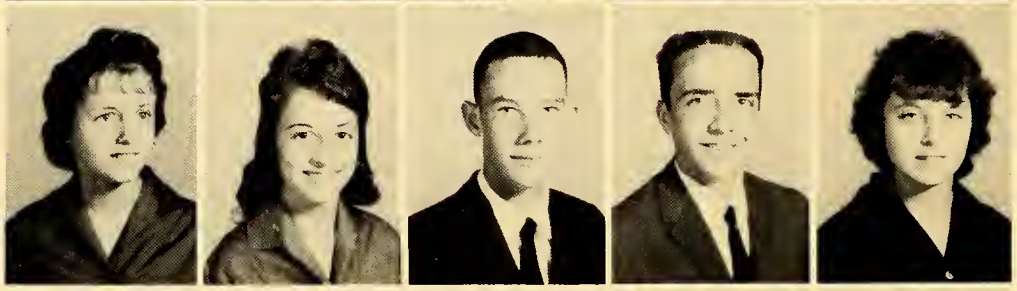
Howard Gerringer
Ruby Gerringer
Janice Haizlip
James Hall
Reva Hensley

Class Of 1964

Gloria Hicks
Rebecca Hill
Thyra Hopkins
Carolyn Howerton



Faye Hutcherson
Janice James
Dean Jones
Priscilla Jones
Janice Key

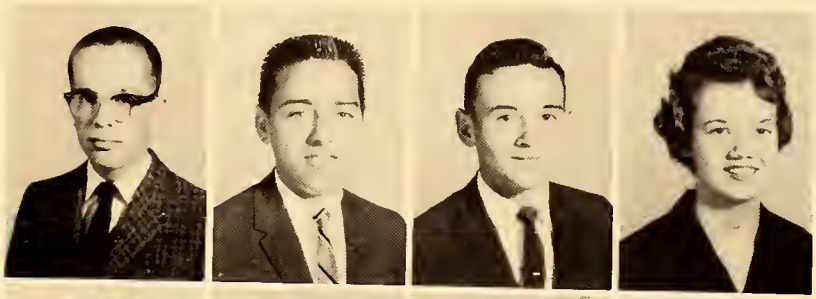


Betsy Lawrence
Shirley Leigh
Jerry Matkins
Mike McIntyre
Linda Moody

Susan Moore
Diane Newnam
Margie Paschal
Lawrence Perdue
Lydia Pritchett

James Ray
Nancy Reid
Carolyn Reynolds
Lynn Roberts
Pat Sadler

Class Of 1964



Jerry Simmons
Jimmy Simmons
Clay Smith
Karen Smith

Larry Smithey
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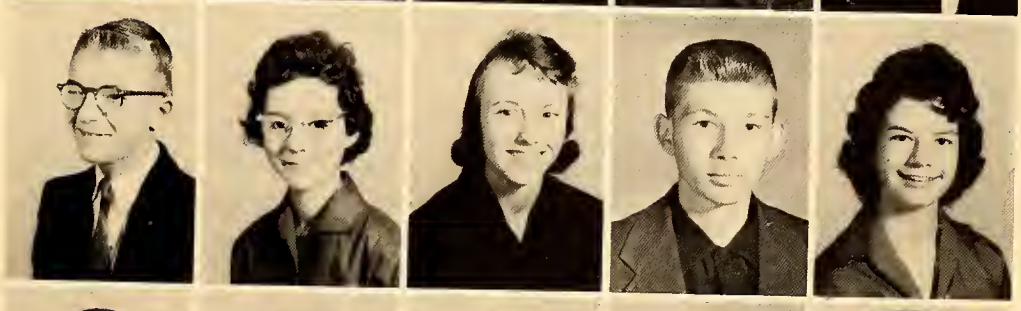
Terry Sprinkle
Mary Ann Stallings
Hal Stewart

Carter Tate
Tommy Thomasson
Joe Trent
Jerry Troxler
Melvin Troxler



Howard Truitt
Linda Vaughn
Linda Vess
Lynley Warren
Janice Webster

Darrell Williams
Donald Williamson
Margaret Wilson
Keith Winn
Carl Wrenn

Candid Camera Reflects

An outstanding Bulletin Board

"Auctioneer" Iseley

Getting ready for exams.

Popcorn? . . . . Anybody?

Caught in the act.

Board members play Bingo . . .

A-L-T-A-M-A-H-A-W O-S-S-I-P-E-E

Eddie, "Fix it."

Dreamy eyed.

Activities

Student Council

Mr. Don Iseley
Advisor

Larry Whitt
President

Hooper Harris
Vice-President

Kathy Saul
Secretary

To co-ordinate and promote student activity and encourage greater participation on the part of students is the objective of the Student Council.

It serves as a means of providing opportunities for the development of leadership.

Annual projects include operating concession stand at athletic events, preparing Christmas program and family-style dinner, serving Civitan Ladies Night Dinner and contributing to school budget.

Jimmy Beckom
Treasurer

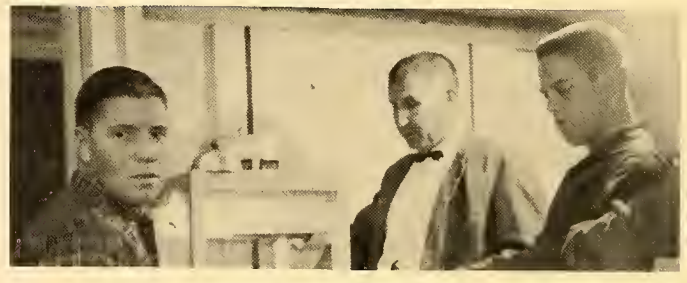
Earl Sartin
Parliamentarian

Brenda Moore
Sergeant-at-
Arms

Student Council at Christmas Dinner

Jo Ann Matkins
Chaplain

Ann Brannon
Historian



Busy at Refreshment Stand

Janice Ross
Junior
Representative

Clay Smith
Freshman
Representative

Karen Smith
Freshman
Representative

Marion Underwood
Senior
Representative

Brenda Shepherd
Sophomore
Representative

Elwood Haizlip
Sophomore
Representative

Tommy Newnam
Junior
Representative

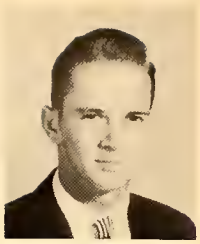
Faye Woody
Senior
Representative

Kay Leath

Brenda Garrison
Editor

Mrs. Crews
Advisor

Jerry Moore
Assoc. Editor



Conard Beckom

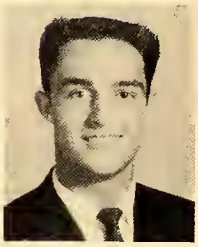
Leonard Haizlip

Pat Hughes

Nancy Peeples

Each member of the staff has in some way made this, the 1961 Tomahawk, possible. The many duties range from being top salesman to expert counters. All this work has helped produce a yearbook that shows the reflections of A-O students in '60-61.

Work is never done until the last annual is distributed. Choosing a theme, planning lay-outs, taking pictures, typing and adding final touches to art work keeps the staff constantly busy.



Howard Isley

Tomahawk Staff

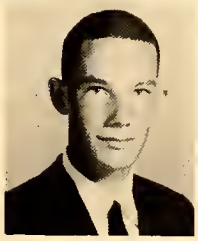
Staff gets down to business . . .

Larry Ring

Eloise Apple

Mary Lynn Thiel

Rita Apple



Jerry Matkins

Susan Sadler

Nicky Thomasson

Tommy Thomasson

Bonnie Faucette

Pat Sadler

Patsy Simpson

Robert Kirkman

Mary Lu Garrison

The Hub

Jean Danieley

To the students of Altamahaw-Ossipee their newspaper, the Hub, keeps them informed of all the happenings in elementary and high school grades as well as the surrounding area.

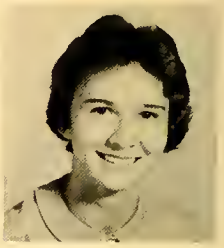
The Hub, through the work of it's staff publishes a paper that is informative and entertaining.

Kay Troxler

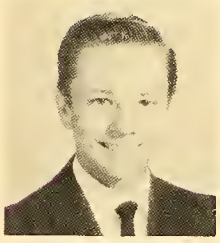
Archie Gaster

Laura Leath

Peggy Saunders



Sara Madren



Sherman Smith

Beth Garrison . . . . . Associate Editor
Mickey Murray . . . . . Editor
Mrs. Barnes . . . . . Advisor

Dianne Goodman

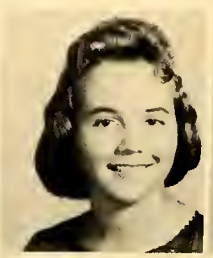
Wade Vaughn

Priscilla Jones

Eddie Hopkins

Jan Sadler

Anita Apple



Vicki Hill

Virginia Perkins

Don Brannon

Monogram Club

Left to Right: Larry Whitt, Tommy Newnam, Ronnie Price, Conard Beckom, Conrad Dodd, Marion Underwood, Howard Iseley, Billy Hicks, Hooper Harris, Mary Lynn Thiel, Jerry Bell, Nickey Thomasson, Brenda Garrison, Carlton (Pete) Stout: Advisor, Leonard Haizlip, Ann Brannon, Daniel Madren, Larry Ring, Janice Ross, Peggy Saunders, Mary Lu Garrison, Jo Ann Matkins, Nancy Peeples, Kathy Saul, Brenda Moore, Patsy Simpson.

President	Hooper Harris
Vice President	Nicky Thomasson
Secretary	Kathy Saul
Treasurer	Howard Isley
Advisor	Mr. Carlton Stout

To be a member of the Monogram Club, a student must have lettered in a sport and be tapped at one of the two tapping ceremonies during the year. Those who have lettered in a sport, as manager, or as a cheerleader are eligible for membership.

The Monogram Club has several projects-operating the school store, assisting in athletic projects, supporting the team in anyway possible. The chief aim of the club is upholding the constitution and creed by encouraging better sportsmanship.

Who's next Hoop?

Painted Papooses

F.H.A.

Officers

Kay Leath . . . . . President
Ann Brannon . . . . . Vice-President
Laura Leath . . . . . Secretary
Brenda Shephard . . . . . Treasurer

Mrs. Mary Johnson
Advisor

Future Homemaker's challenging motto is "Toward New Horizons."

The red and white, eight-sided emblem symbolizes the significant purposes of the organization.

This year's FHA projects included publishing a student directory, sponsoring a bake sale and bazaar and giving a semi-formal Christmas dance for the student body.

First Row, Left to Right: Kay Leath, Jean Danieley, Bonnie Kenyon, Martha Dunn, Lynette Wrenn, Diane Newnam, Betsy Lawrence, Carolyn Howerton, Margaret Wilson, Brenda Garrison, Pat Hughes, Nancy Peeples, Mary Stallings. Second Row: Mattie Lewis, Peggy Saunders, Donna Anderson, Janice Ross, Linda Ross, Terry Sprinkle, Dianne Chambers, Bonnie Faucette, Shirley Leigh, Jan Haizlip, Mickey Murray, Kay Troxler, Pat Sadler, Delores Ireland, Lynn Roberts. Third Row: Wanda Diamont, Brenda Shepherd, Kay Madren, Nancy Reid, Faye Ashley, Linda Vaughn, Crystal Doss, Jo Ann Matkins, Sara Madren, Patsy Simpson, Laura Leath, Susan Sadler, Beth Garrison. Fourth Row: Faye Madren, Jean Faulkenberry, Andrea Anderson, Linda Vess, Judy Garrison, Janice Webster, Susan Moore, Brenda Moore. Fifth Row: Betty Sue Hardy, Dorothy Atkinson, Rita Apple, Ida Jane Tickle, Ellen Hall, Carol Reynolds, Linda Moody, Sandra Barber. Sisth Row: Judy Williams, Rachel Holyfield, Ann Gammon, Reva Hensley, Faye Hutcherson, Thyra Hopkins, Lydia Pritchett, Sharon Patterson. Seventh Row: Ruby Gerringer, Karon Smith, Mary Lynn Thiel, Priscella Jones, Mary Lu Garrison, Margie Paschal, Faye Woody, Ann Brannon, Janice James.

F.F.A.

L. A. Freeman
Advisor

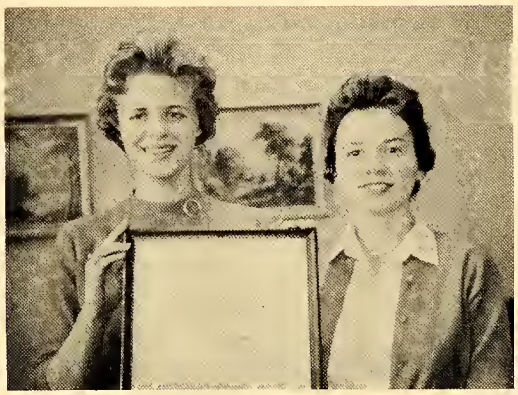
Future Farmers of America have as their goals, leadership, scholarship, improved agriculture, organized recreation, better local communities and more satisfying farm home life.

This year their projects included purchasing, repairing and painting a pick-up truck. At Christmas FFA boys repaired and delivered toys to needy families.

Officers

Conard Beckom	President
Cecil Whitesell	Vice-President
Daniel Madren	Secretary
John Cole	Treasurer
Billy Gilliam	Chaplain
Jerry Beckom	Reporter
Jerry Gerringer	Sentinel

First Row, Left to Right: Royce Fargis, Boyd Madren, Wade Vaughn, Pete Keck, Conard Beckom, Billy Gilliam, Garland Howerton, Jerry Gerringer, Roger Keck, Johnny Cole, Cecil Whitesell, L. A. Freeman; Advisor, Conrad Dodd. Second Row: Larry McAlister, Junius Conklin, Howard Truitt, Jerry Troxler, Johnny Walker, Clay Smith, Bobby Haizlip, Linley Warren. Third Row: Tommy Hensley, Winkie Fargis, Paul Murray, James Hall, Keith Winn, Jimmy Beckom, Hal Stewart, Donnie Lewis. Fourth Row: Houston Walker, Clyde Truitt, Thomas Key, Dean Jones, Ronnie Dodson, Jerry Matkins, Tommy Thomasson, Donald Williams. Fifth Row: George Whitley, Jerry Beckom, Clarence Long, Leon Haizlip, Ronnie Leath, Jimmy Simmons, Billy Durham, Dean Woody. Sixth Row: Jack Madren, Dale Tate, Carter Tate, Donnie Miles, Fred Madren, Daniel Madren.



President . . . . . Brenda Moore
Vice-President . . . . . Ann Brannon

Secretary . . . . . Mary Lu Garrison
Treasurer . . . . . Jerry Moore

National Honor Society

An important day in the year for some students at A-O is the National Honor Society tapping. Character, scholarship, leadership and service are the basis of this organization. The members, with this coveted honor, help at athletic events and sponsor "sock hops" as fund raising projects. The main objective of the National Honor Society is to promote interest in scholarship and citizenship among A-O's students.

First Row: Mrs. Perkins, Advisor; Brenda Garrison, Brenda Moore, Pat Hughes. Second Row: Hooper Harris, Mary Lu Garrison, Larry Whitt, Jerry Moore, Ann Brannon, Eddie Hopkins, Robert Kirkman, Mickey Murray.

Brenda Moore . . . . . President
Mrs. Clyde Kirkman . . . . . Advisor
Brenda Shepherd . . . . . Treasurer
Mattie Lewis . . . . . Parliamentarian
Faye Woody . . . . . Chaplain
Donna Anderson . . . . . Secretary
Pat Hughes . . . . . Vice-President

A Future Teacher in Action!

Future Teachers Of America

For students who feel that someday they may want to be teachers, the Future Teacher's Club tries to give the needed experience. Here at A-O this club presents a gift to the school annually and does many things in an effort to make a better school. Members often assist teachers when an emergency arises. Once a year every member is given a chance to practice the knowledge they have acquired through being in the club.

Kneeling: Janice Haizlip, Mickey Murray, Delores Ireland. First Row: Sharon Patterson, Brenda Shepherd, Brenda Moore, Wanda Diamont, Janice James, Eloise Apple, Barbara James. Second Row: Karen Smith, Donna Anderson, Faye Woody, Mattie Lewis, Priscilla Jones, Jane Tickell. Fourth Row: Kay Leath, Shirley Leigh, Pat Hughes, Pat Sadler, Terry Sprinkle, Faye Hutcherson.

Senior Glee Club

Left to Right: Kathy Saul, Secretary; Laura Leath, Secretary; Mary Lynn Thiel, Treasurer; Howard Isley, President; Wade Vaughn, Secretary. Not pictured are Conard Beckom, Vice-President and Nancy Peeples, Secretary.

Mrs. Wells, Pianist; Mrs. Amick, Director.

Glee Club

Row One: Brenda Garrison, Pat Hughes, Linda Ross, Diane Newnam, Pat Sadler, Jo Ann Matkins, Kay Troxler, Marie Foster, Judy Perkins. Row Two: Jerry Gerringer, Gloria Hicks, Janice Haizlip, Bonnie Faucette, Diane Chambers, Patsy Saul, Kay Leath, Nancy Peeples. Row Three: Phalba Edmunds, Sara Madren, Mickey Murray, Laura Leath, Terry Sprinkle, Martha Dunn, Susan Sadler, Garland Howerton. Row Four: Roger Keck, Jean Faulkenberry, Andrea Anderson, Patsy Simpson, Beth Garrison, Linda Vaughn, Janice Webster, Judy Garrison, Ellen Hall, Jerry Moore. Row Five: Johnny Walker, Bonnie Kenyon, Jean Danieley, Brenda Shepherd, Wanda Diamont, Ann Gammon, Jane Tickell, Carol Reynolds, Sandra Barber, Susan Moore, Thyra Hopkins, Clayton Whitesell. Row Six: Pete Keck, Ruby Gerringer, Faye Hutcherson, Phyliss Long, Judy Williams. Row Seven: Robert Kirkman, Priscilla Jones, Karen Smith, Mary Lynn Thiel, Kathy Saul, Diane Goodman, Margie Paschal, Sharon Patterson, Cecil Whitesell, Howard Isley, Albert Bowes. Row Eight: Daniel Madren, Conard Beckom, Larry Williams, Faye Woody, Ann Brannon, Janice Ross, Rita Apple, Mary Lu Garrison, Donna Anderson, Janice James, Lydia Pritchett.

Junior Glee Club

First Row: Jean Steele, Mary Harrington, Virginia Perkins, Gayle Whitaker, Elizabeth Barber, Vicki Rice, Cherry Miles, Judy Edmonds. Second Row: Alice Saul, Brenda Summers, Patricia Hall, Wanda Murphy, Sherrion Wrenn, Jo Ann Anderson, Sandra Saul. Third Row: Wayne Garrison, Richard Jones, Edwin Wood, Scarlet Troxler, Nancy Griggs, Donnie Isley. Fourth Row: Jimmy Kistler, Clarence Wade, Tommy Garrison, Charles Moody, Mark Robertson.

Explorers Club

Kneeling: Wade Vaughn, Jerry Beckom, Billy Booe, Jimmy Bedkom, Don Brannon. First Row: Jerry Simmons, Earl Sartin, Clay Smith, Ronnie Dodson, Eddie Hopkins, Sherman Smith, Kenneth Faucette, Larry Carter, Jerry Matkins, Archie Gaster. Second Row: Tommy Thomasson, Dickie Mills, Mr. Isley, Advisor; Buddy Lee, Donnie Miles, Ronnie Cain.

Left to Right: Faye Ashley, Marie Foster, Judy Perkins, Gloria Hicks, Thyra Hopkins, Kay Hall, Linda Vess, Mattie Lewis, Ann Barber, Delores Ireland, Margie Paschal, Nancy Reid, Susan Moore, Judy Garrison, Crystal Doss.

Library Club

Seated: Barbara James, President; Mattie Lewis, Secretary. Standing: Ann Barber, Reporter; Judy Smithey, Chaplain; Delores Ireland, Treasurer; Kay Hall, Vice-President; Gloria Hicks, Program Chairman; Mrs. Adelia Truitt, Advisor.

To improve the library and its services is the main function of the Library Club and library assistants.

The Library Club sponsors programs and activities to stimulate reading interest. Library assistants charge and shelve books, make bulletin boards, arrange exhibits, and help students find reading material.

Seated: Kay Hall, Jack Madren, Leonard Haizlip, Mrs. Truitt, Advisor. Standing: Ann Barber, Linda Vess, Carol Reynolds, Wade Vaughn, Sherman Smith, Archie Gaster, Bobby Rudd, Judy Williams, Gloria Hicks.

Kneeling: Kay Brannon, Becky Matkins. Standing: Frances Hutcherson, Cindy Ward, Steve Blanchard, Karen Smith.

Library Assistants

4-H Club

Kay Brannon, Phyliss Suggs, Deborah Jones, Pat Doss, Patsy Jones, Brenda Jones, Gary Ross, Billy Hathaway, Joe Leigh, Donnie Wrenn, Janice Woody, Nancy Somers, Gail Simpson, Sandra Goldston, Cheryl Horne, David Barber, Robin Woody, Steve Gilliam, Ervin Lewis, Gene Lewis, Becky McCullock, Dorothy Whitesell, Alice Wrenn, Becky Matkins, Rita Hill, Homer Lawrence, Jimmy Cobb, Robert Willowby, Eddie Shambley, Janet Troxler, Becky Garrison, Milton Huffines, James Winn, Larry James, Bonnie Fargis, Edgar Pritchett, Joseph Simpson, Sandra Simpson, Cindy Ward, Jo Ann Somers, Stella Steele, Faye Barber, Mary Harrington, Libby Sturdvant, Dennis Wrenn, Donald Fargis, Jerry Suggs, John Reid, Kathy Wade, Linda Ross, Judy Ingle, Lydia Pritchett, Ida Jane Tickell, Jerry Lewis, Harold Kernodle, Jerry Holyfield.

Safety Patrol

First Row: Michael Murray, Jerry Lewis, Jerry Holyfield, Wesley Gilliam, Gary Morton, Ronnie Leath, Steve Blanchard, Gary Harris, Eddie Walker, Milton Huffines. Standing: Peggy Smithey, Elizabeth Barber, Wanda Murphy, Patricia Hall, Janice Anderson, Jean Steele, Vicki Hill, Cherry Miles, Carolyn Massey, Donnie Iseley, Kathy Somers, Richard Jones, Jean Hill, Jimmy Kistler, Lynette Wrenn, Tommy Garrison, Anita Apple, Brenda Blalock.

Marshals

Kay Troxler

Mary Lou Garrison

Mickey Murray, chief

The Top Five

Students maintaining high scholastic averages and ranking in the top five of the Junior class are given special recognition by being selected as marshals. These students are leaders in their class scholastically and serve the school well in their capacity as marshals.

Sara Madren

Ann Brannon

Athletics

C. E. "Pete" Stout
Head Football Coach

To Coaches Stout and Clayton, the staff of the 1960-61 Tomahawk offer in tribute the sports section. Their inspiration has led to many a victory on field and court. Their tireless efforts have endeared them to sports enthusiasts at Altamahaw-Ossipee. Their fine sportsmanship is a shining example for A-O Students.

R. B. "Sonny" Clayton
Head Basketball Coach

FOOTBALL SQUAD

First Row, Left to Right: Dodd, Beckom, Haizlip, Whitt, Gilliam, Fargis, Murray, Williamson. Second Row: Newnam, Hicks, Underwood, Haizlip, Madren, Cross, Matkins, Bell. Third Row: Jerry Gerringer, Manager; Harris, Ring, Thomasson, Thomasson, Isley, Brannon, Vess, Manager. Fourth Row: R. B. Clayton, assistant coach; Troxler, Madren, Cain, McIntyre, Smithey, Trent, Carlton Stout, Coach.

Football 1960

TRI-CAPTAINS

Larry Whitt, Howard Isley and Leonard Haizlip.

ALL-CONFERENCE STARS

Nicky Thomasson, Hooper Harris, Marion Underwood, Leonard Haizlip, Howard Isley.

SENIOR SQUAD

Seniors of this year's team who worked hard and wore the Columbia blue and white for the last time are Billy Gilliam, Conard Beckom, Leonard Haizlip, Larry Whitt, Conrad Dodd, Marion Underwood, Howard Isley, Daniel Madren and Jack Madren.

SCORES

Helena	0	A-O	34
Haw River	20	A-O	0
Sumner	19	A-O	32
Yanceyville	0	A-O	7
Mebane	33	A-O	0
Chatam-Central	0	A-O	47
Monticello	0	A-O	34
Bethel Hill	0	A-O	13
Gibsonville	0	A-O	46

A.O.'s FINEST BACKS
Halfback Tommy Newnam, Fullback Conard Beckom, Halfback Leonard Haizlip, Halfback Larry Whitt, Quarterback Hooper Harris.

....A Victorious Season...

A STALWART LINE
Kneeling: Guard Billy Hicks, Center Jerry Bell, Guard Conrad Dodd. Standing: End Marion Underwood, Tackle Nicky Thomasson, Tackle Howard Isley, Guard Daniel Madren, End Larry Ring.

HIGHLIGHTS

The 1960 football team finished in a tie for second place in the Mid-State conference, one of the toughest in the state's class 1A set-up. The A.O. Indians won 8 and lost 2 during the current season and placed four men on the all-conference team - first-string.

Quarterback Hooper Harris developed into the best in the conference and Nicky Thomasson, Howard Isley, Leonard Haizlip and Marion Underwood were most outstanding in their performances. Every man on the team hustled and Coach C. E. Stout and Assistant R. B. Clayton praised their persistence on every occasion.

Fans of the Indians showed their interest by consistently following the team - even when the games were far from home.

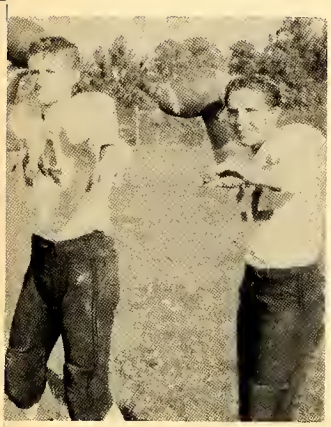
VALUABLE REINFORCEMENTS
Kneeling: Joe Trent, Donald Williamson, Larry Smithey, Paul Murray, Jerry Troxler. Standing: Ronnie Cain, Bill Cross, Jerry Matkins, Tommy Thomasson, Elwood Haizlip, Don Brannon, Mike McIntyre, Royce Fargis.

Jayvees and Midgets

Coach Wrenn's Mighty Midgets

McIntyre's only Tackle

County Junior Champs



Backs Brannon and Ireland

Backs McIntyre and Cross

The Junior Varsity Line-Up

Strong Subs

Captains Brannon and Cross
listen to Coach Stout

Midgets on a Pick-Up

Cheerleaders

Nancy Peeples and
Pat Hughes

Brenda Moore
and Donna Anderson

Terry Sprinkle,
Johnny Walker and
Patsy Simpson

Mary Lynn Thiel, Chief

Yea! Team! Let's go!

I-N-D-I-A-N-S

Guards Garrison, Leath, Matkins, Anderson, M. Garrison and Brannon make scoring a difficult feat for the opposing team.

Kathy Saul, 1960 All-County Forward and Most Valuable Player.

The starting line-up views proceedings from the Crow's-Nest.

Seniors Saul, B. Garrison and K. Leath have been faithful for four years.

A. O.	55	Bethel Hill	28
A. O.	67	Anderson	36
A. O.	67	Prospect Hill	27
A. O.	65	Cobb Memorial	18
A. O.	73	Anderson	39
A. O.	56	Pleasant Grove	52
A. O.	69	Payne Oil	49
A. O.	42	Haw River	34
A. O.	64	Mebane	57
A. O.	38	Elon	26
A. O.	44	Southern	33
A. O.	66	Cobb Memorial	47
A. O.	38	Pleasant Grove	45
A. O.	71	Elon	37

Basketball

Alamance County

Mary Lu Garrison, 1960 All-County Guard.

Lettermen from 1960: B. Garrison, Saul, Ross, Brannon, M. Garrison, Matkins.

A. O.	50	Southern	44
A. O.	59	Mebane	39
A. O.	49	Haw River	48

Tournament

A. O.	41	Southern	31
A. O.	42	Pleasant Grove	34

REGULAR SEASON CHAMPIONS
TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS

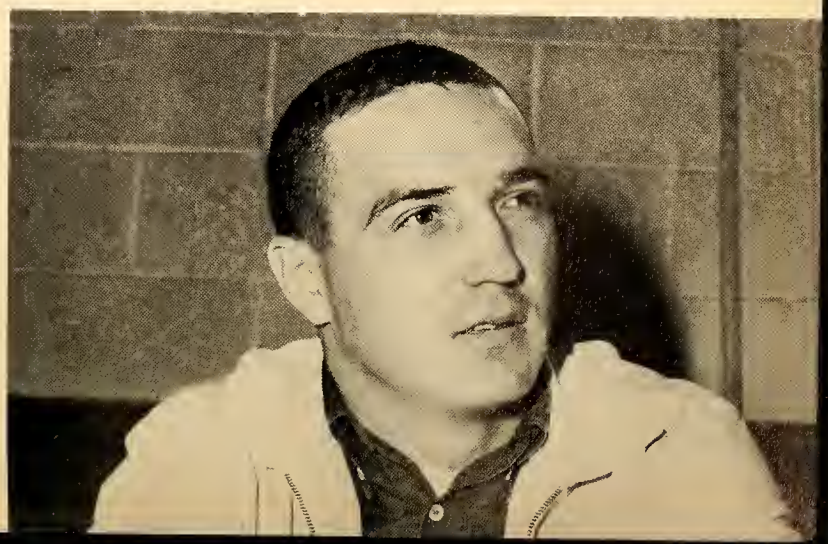
1960 - 61
Won 19 Lost 1

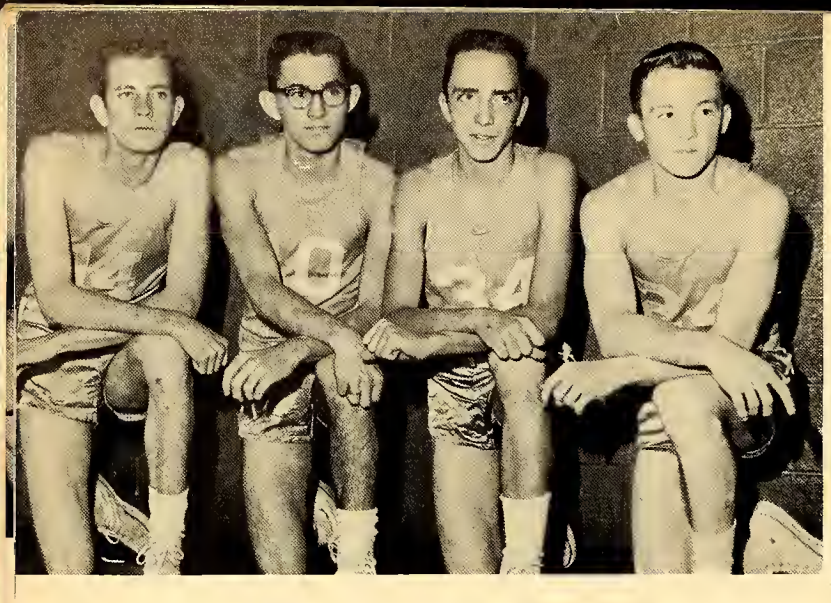
Champions 1960-61

A.O.'s sharpshooting forwards are hard to beat. Ross, Garrison, Apple, J. Ross, Saul, L. Leath and Lawrence.

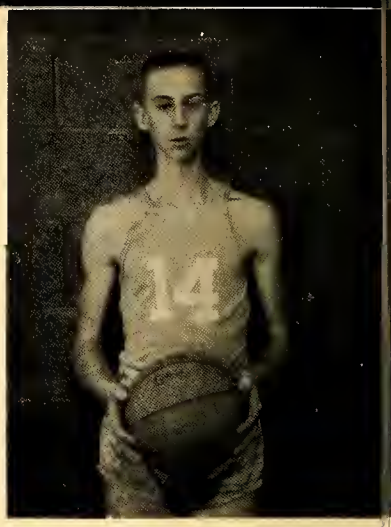
The Team - 1960-61
Front Row: Beth Garrison, Betsy Lawrence, Andrea Anderson, Kay Leath, Linda Ross, Brenda Garrison, Ann Brannon.
Back Row: Coach "Pete" Stout, Manager Peggy Saunders, M. Lou Garrison, Joan Matkins, Rita Apple, Jan Ross, Kathy Saul, Laura Leath, Manager Dianne Goodman.

Coach C. E. "Pete" Stout reflects upon the best way to keep A.O. girls in line on the court.





A-O's galloping guards: Ring, Whitt, McIntyre, Harris.



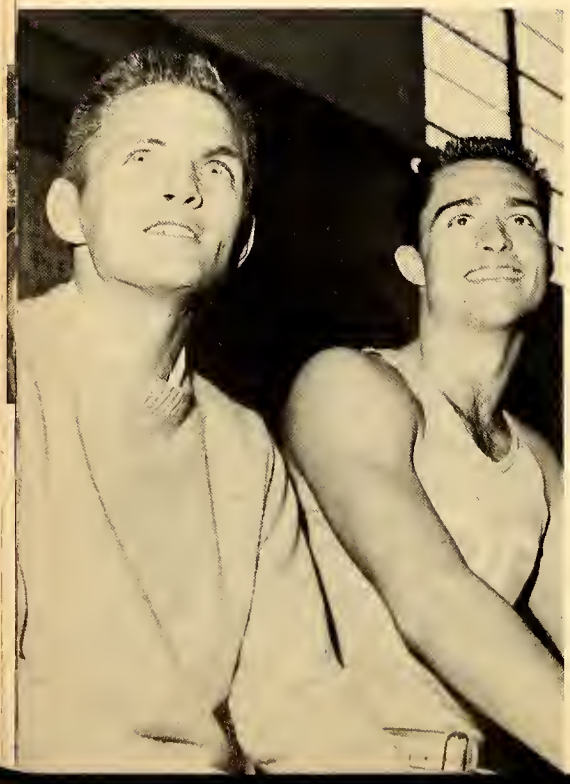
Guard Dean Woody

Basketball

Coach R. B. "Sonny" Clayton's 1960-61 charges have traveled a rough road, breaking about even with wins and losses. With another year's experience A-O Indian basketeers should find that "spark" necessary to win a championship. What they really need is height; however, their drive and determination have made 1960-61 a successful season.

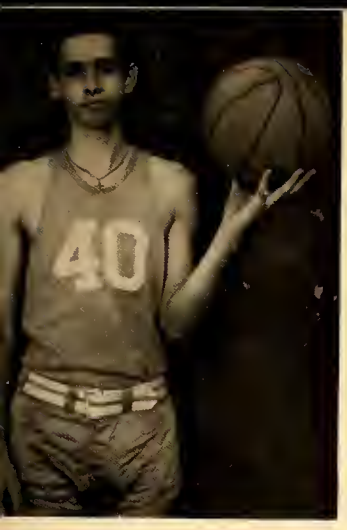
High-jumping centers: Thomasson, Bell and Haizlip.

Coach Clayton and Captain Isley



Boys Scores

A.O. 49	Bethel Hill	38	A.O. 48	Elon	57
A.O. 53	Anderson	52	A.O. 77	Southern	93
A.O. 81	Prospect Hill	63	A.O. 90	Cobb Memorial	46
A.O. 75	Cobb Memorial	38	A.O. 30	Pleasant Grove	92
A.O. 46	Anderson	43	A.O. 51	Elon	50
A.O. 49	Pleasant Grove	78	A.O. 41	Southern	83
A.O. 60	Curry	32	A.O. 32	Mebane	49
A.O. 50	Haw River	56	A.O. 36	Haw River	52



Forward Danny Miles

Sure shot forwards Matkins, Moore, Isley, Brannon.

1960-61

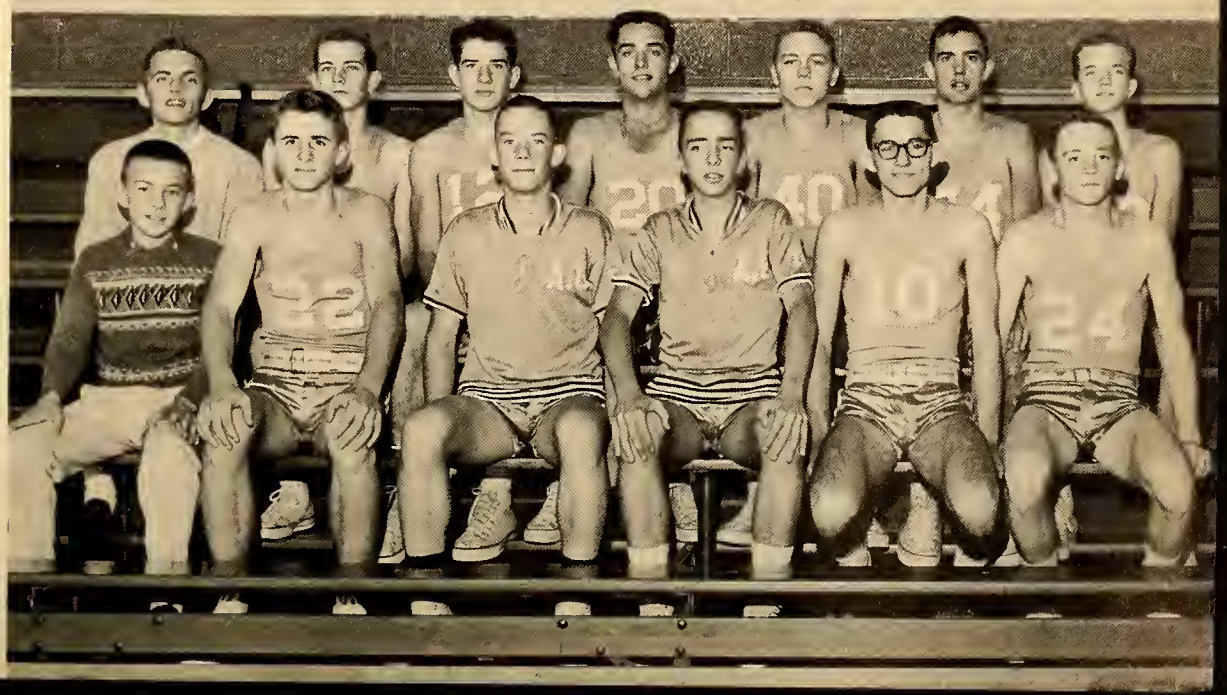
Tournament

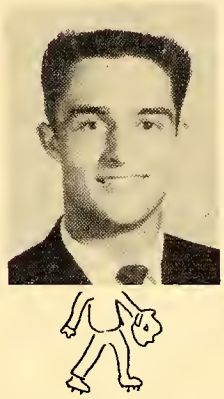
A.O.	26	Pleasant Grove	58

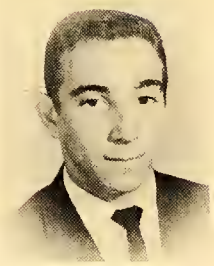
Won 8 - Lost 10

The 1960-61 Squad

First Row: Manager - Joe Trent, Don Brannon, Jerry Matkins, Mike McIntyre, Larry Whitt, Hooper Harris. Second Row: Coach Clayton, Larry Ring, Jerry Bell, Howard Isley, Elwood Haizlip, Tommy Thomasson, Jerry Moore.

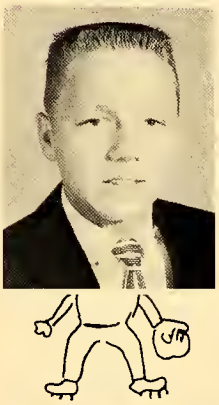


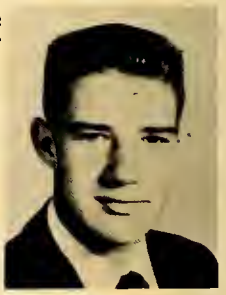




Baseball Reflections-1960

Although the boys' basketball team did not run up an impressive record of wins and losses, the Indians scrapped to the very end of every game and accomplished much in experience. Coach Clayton expects to be "ready to go" for another year.





A. Howard Iseley, left field
B. Jimmy Smith, centerfield
C. Tommy Newnam, rightfield
D. Hooper Harris, second base
E. Danny Miles, short stop
F. Nicky Thompson, third base
G. Marion Underwood, pitcher-All-county
H. Elwood Haizlip, first base
I. Leonard Haizlip, catcher

J. Larry Whitt
K. Clyde Truitt
L. Johnny Cole
M. Jerry Bell
N. Larry Ring
O. Billy Hicks
P. Eddie Vess
Q. Charlie Barker

Monticello	3
E. M. Holt	2
Gibsonville	8
Haw River	1
P. G.	1
Eli Whitney	11
Monticello	3
Sylvan	2
Alexander Wilson	1

A. O.	4
A. O.	20
A. O.	3
A. O.	8
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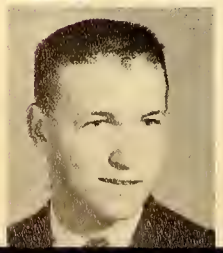
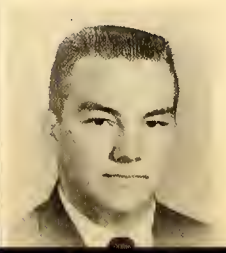




The Sporting Mirror

Team's in the huddle

Hot practice for A-O's Indians

Sleepy-time boy

Touch down bound

Time-out for a rest

Saul awaits rebound

Oof!

Linemen drills

Coach?

Finally made it, Joe?

On The Sports Scene

Future stars

J. V. Cheerleaders

J. V. Benchwarmers

J. V. Line

Saul at practice

Chip of the old block!

Backs take a break

Backs working on speed

Sloppy chow!

Features

Mirror,
Mirror....

HOMECOMING QUEEN

On The Wall...

MAY QUEEN

Who's The Fairest
Of Them All?

MISS A.O.

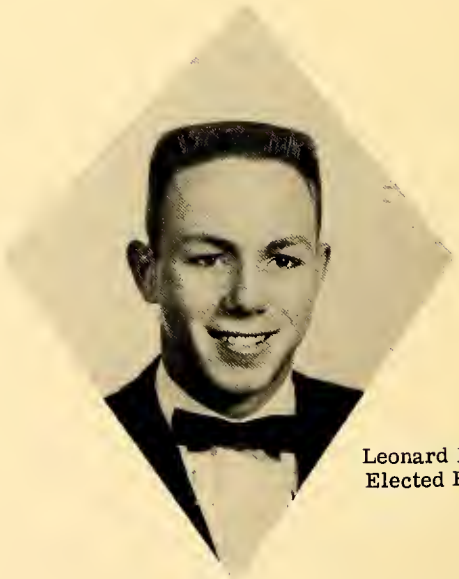
May 19

QUEEN OF MAY

Brenda Garrison

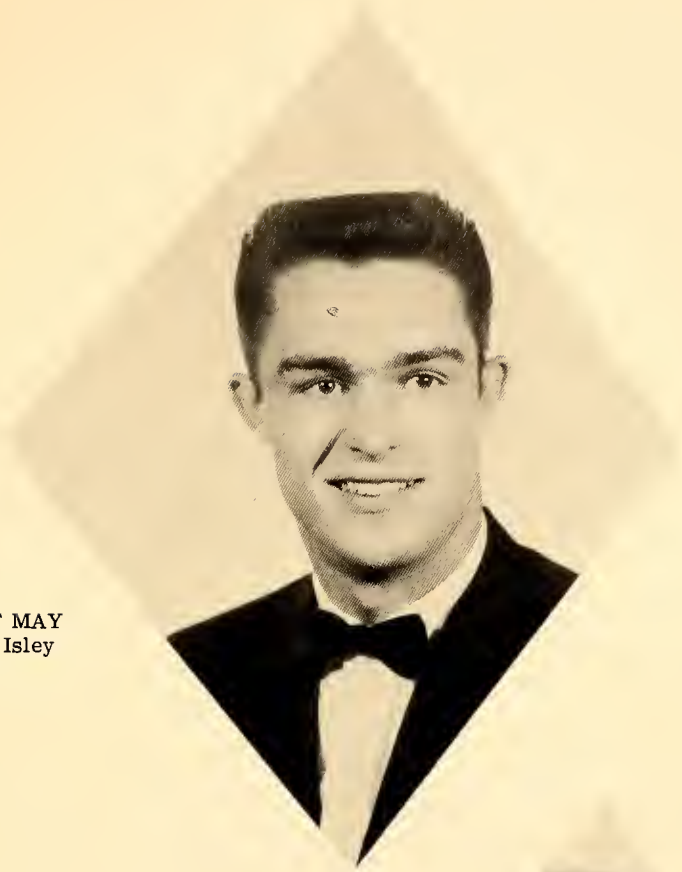
May Day reflects one of the
at A. O. Reigning over the May
nominated from the senior
student body. The runner-up
and the queen chooses one
Each high school class chooses
Most of the May Day pro-
year's program in music and

Kathy Saul
Elected Maid of Honor



Leonard Haizlip
Elected Escort

Day
61



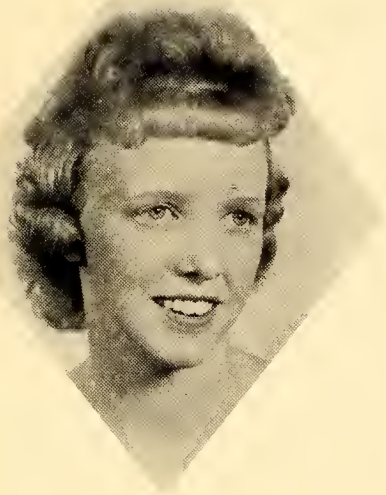
KING OF MAY
Howard Isley

highlights of the school year
Court are a King and Queen
class and elected by vote of the
becomes, elected maid of honor
additional honor attendant.
an attendant and her escort.
gram centers around the
physical education.

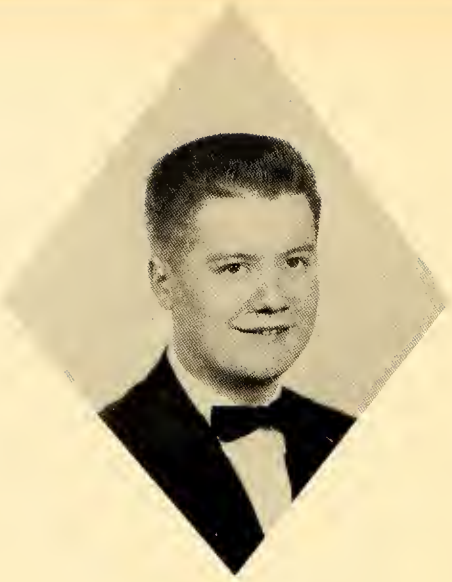
Pat Hughes
Chosen Maid of Honor

Cecil Whitesell
Chosen Escort

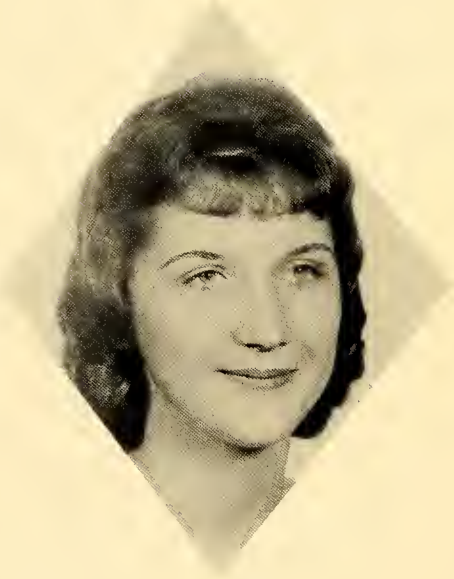
Honor May Day



Faye Woody
Senior Attendant



Earl Sartin
Escort



Marie Foster
Junior Attendant

Dickie Mills
Escort

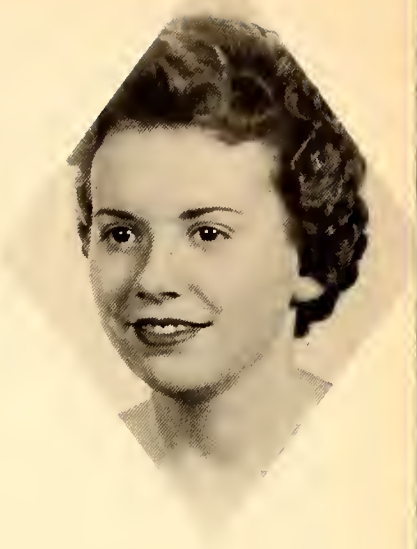
Elwood Haizlip
Excort

Beth Garrison
Sophomore Attendant

Joyce Hamlett
Mascot

Attendants 1961

Conard Beckom
Escort



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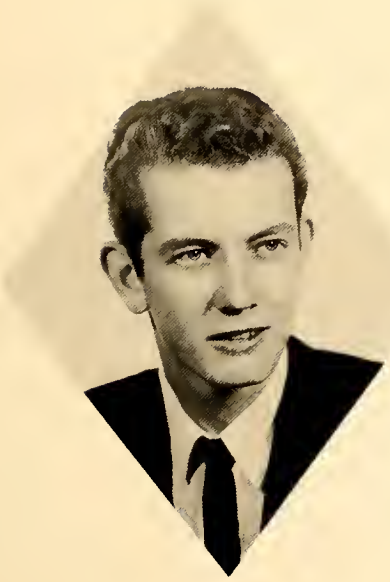
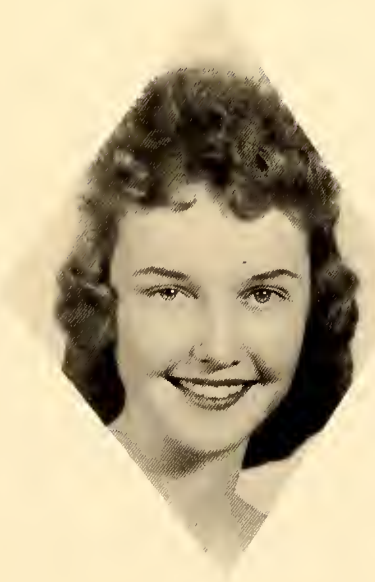
Senior Attendant



Larry Ring
Escort



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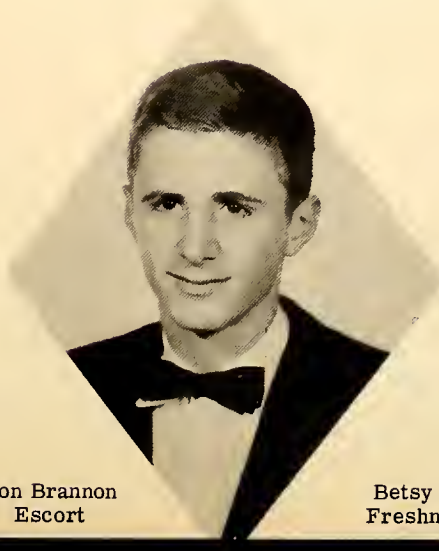
Junior Attendant

Bobby Moore
Mascot



Don Brannon
Escort

Betsy Jo Lawrence
Freshman Attendant

Homecoming 1960

HOMECOMING - 1960
QUEEN
Kathy Saul
ATTENDANTS
Brenda Garrison
Laura Ann Leath
Patsy Simpson
Bonnie Faucette

Carnival Time

Mr. A.-O. . . . Jimmie McCann

Miss A. O. . . . Mattie Lewis

Honorees of Carnival

Mr. & Miss A-O, Prince & Princess

New Faces at A.O.?

Brew or stew?

Winnings?

Sitting down on the job?

Memories Of A Dance

Lucky girl! Right Mr. Brannon?

King Phil and Queen
Barbara . . . Jr.- Sr. 60'

Dreamy!!!

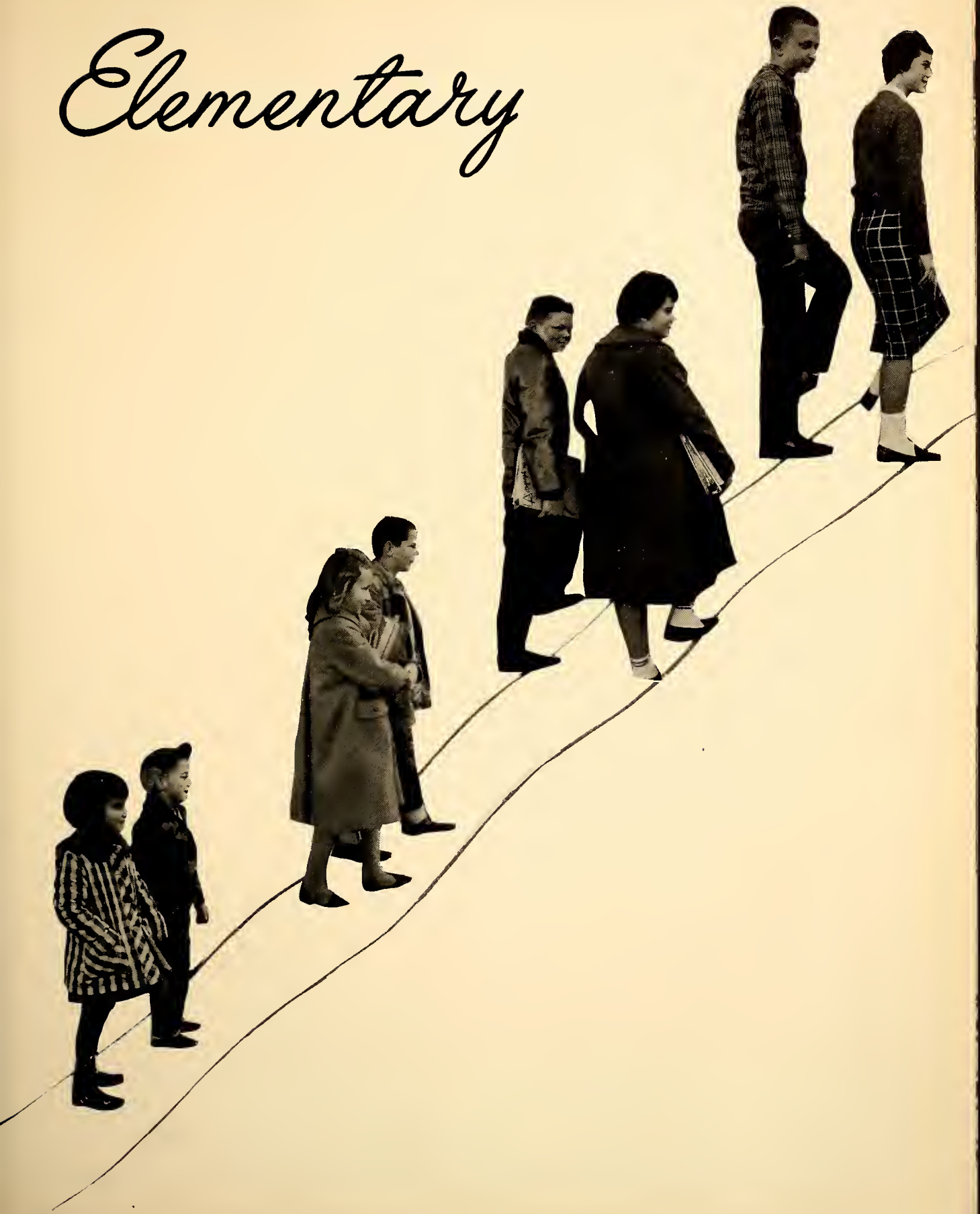
Sure glad that's finished.

Just can't wait to get started.

Could there be a Christmas
Dance without tape?

Why so happy? That looks like
work!!

Elementary



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Jean Hill
Vickie Hill

Jerry Holyfield
Charles Horne
Edker Howerton
Milton Huffins
Jimmy Ireland
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Sue Iseley

Barry Jones
Joe Jones
Linda Jones
Harold Kernodle
Jerry Lewis
James Long
Larry Madren

Carolyn Massey
Howard McIntyre
Henry Moody
Garry Morton
Mike Murray
Faye Perry
Bobby Rogers

Jan Sadler
Margie Sadler
Peggy Smithey
Kathy Somers
Jerry Suggs
Vernon Sutton
Billy Thompson

Norris Underwood
Kaddy Wade
Kathy Wade
Phillip Walker
David Whitley
Linda Williams
James Winn

Buddy Gooch (not pictured)

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Butch Andrews
Elizabeth Barber
Raymond Barber
Audrey Bass

Mary Bass
Sandra Billings
Carolyn Brown
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Mike Carter
Gary Carter
Troy Cox

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Frances Hutcherson
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Larry James
Richard Jones
Jimmy Kistler

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Sherrion Wrenn
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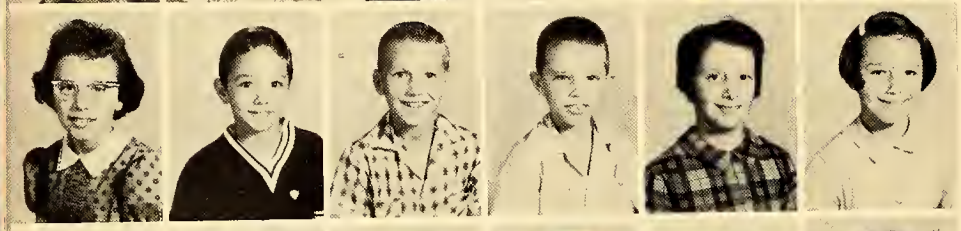

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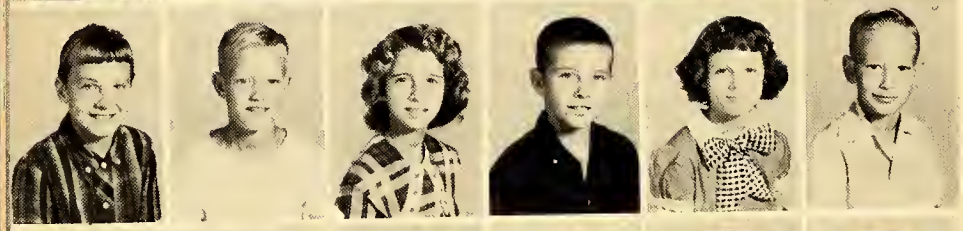

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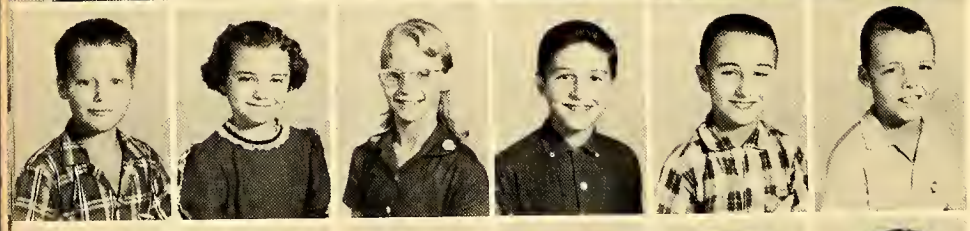

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Final

New faces on the faculty

Start the year with a sting

Tough scrimmage makes tougher players

Homecoming "stuffed shirts"

September 1
School Opens

September 5
First Holiday

September 9
Opening Football Game

October 14
Homecoming

October 28
Halloween Carnival

November 18
Senior Play

November 24
Thanksgiving

December 1
Basketball Season Opens

December 3
Christmas Dance

December 15
Glee Club Concert

December 16
Christmas Holidays

January 23-24
Exams

Halloween mob

New football uniform?

Are they real?

Monogram initiation starts new fad

Reflections

Dr. Brannon's nurse visits

Sophs enjoying rations

F.F.A.er's push those mops

Ghost of the Senior Play

March 10
FHA-FFA Banquet

March 24
Junior Play

April 1
Baseball Begins

March 31-April 3
Easter

April 2-9
Senior Trip

April 21
Athletic Banquet

May 1
May Day

May 12
Junior-Senior Banquet

May 28
Baccalaureate

June 1
Graduation

A.O. scores again

Student Council Christmas play

Family style Christmas lunch

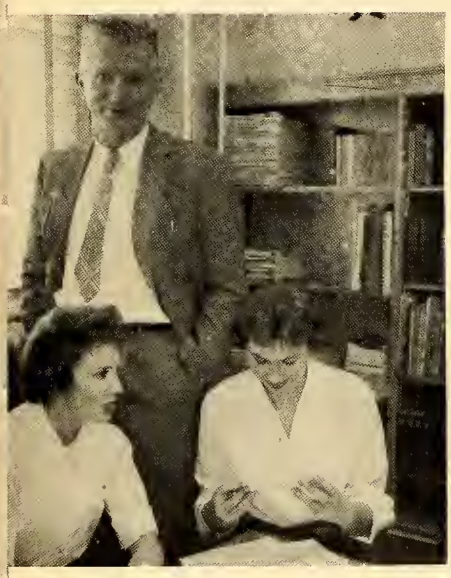
Junior-Senior festivities

Fading Scenes

Fast fading cakes!

"The Trading Post"

This fades too slowly.



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I have enjoyed being in the same room with you.
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you are a very nice girl. I have enjoyed being in your room the year
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